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PREFACE.

VARIOUS circumstances have delayed the earlier appearance of this Dictionary. It was intended to prefix a Grammar, but the publication of the Nyanja Grammar of my colleague, the late Rev. Dr. Henry, renders this the less needful; and so the grammatical notes have been reduced to the Table of Concords rendered necessary by the references to these in the body of the work.

In the Nyanja, as in all the Bantu languages, the grammar depends on what has been called the Principle of Euphonic Concord, whereby the initial letter or syllable of the noun affects or governs the rest of the sentence. This relation of the noun to the rest of the sentence offers two methods of arranging a classification of these: first, to group the nouns in classes, counting Singular and Plural of the same word as one class, and giving the corresponding concords for these; or, second, to discard the distinction between Singular and Plural, and classify the nouns according to their concords alone.

The latter is the plan adopted by Dr. Bleek in his Comparative Grammar of the Bantu Languages, and is the more strictly scientific method. The former affords the greatest help to the European seeking to acquire the language, who has not had the advantage of special training in philology.

As, however, all numerical classifications of nouns are arbitrary, if such numbers are inserted in a dictionary, they become a hindrance rather than a help in learning the proper

concord for each noun. When the Singular and Plural of a noun are known, the concord for each can be at once supplied, except in nouns forming their Plural by prefixing *ma* to the Singular. In the dictionary the proper concord for the Singular nouns of this class is indicated by the insertion of the possessive particle *wa*, *la*, or *ya* used with each.

The appropriate concords for the adjectives are indicated by the simple hyphen, *e.g.* *-kuru*, big; or with the hyphen and the italic, *-a* or *-o*, as -*a*bwino, good; -*o*ipa, bad.

This contribution towards the knowledge of one of the most useful and, when its dialects are included, one of the most widely-spoken of African languages, is offered as an aid to those who are seeking the extension of Christianity and civilisation in that region.

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TABLE OF CONCORDS FOR THE CHINYANJA LANGUAGE.

CLASSIFICATION OF NOUNS.

Class I.—Nouns which change the initial letter or syllable of the Singular into *a* to form the Plural :—Muntu, a man ; Antu, people.

Class II.—Nouns which change the initial letter or syllable of the Singular into *mi* to form the Plural :—Ntengo, a tree ; Mitengo, trees.

Class III.—Nouns which in composition form the Plural not by any change in the Singular, but by prefixing *z* or *zi* to the word following :—Nyumba, a house ; Nyumba zambiri, many houses.

Class IV.—Nouns beginning with *tsh* in the Singular which form their Plural by changing the *tsh* into *z* :—Tshintu, a thing ; Zintu, things. —*Note.* Greatness is expressed by bringing nouns into this class :—Nsomba, a fish ; Tshinsomba, a large fish.

Class V.—Nouns beginning with *tsh* in the Singular which form their Plural by changing the *tsh* into *dz* :—Tshintu, grain (seed) ; Dzintu, grains (seeds).

Class VI.—Nouns which change the initial letter or syllable of the Singular into *ma* to form the Plural :—Dzino, a tooth ; Mano, teeth.

Class VII.—Nouns which form their Plural by prefixing *ma* to the Singular :—Fupa, a bone ; Mafupa, bones. The nouns of this class take the same concord for all their Plurals, but in the Singular the concords are of three varieties (or sub-classes), represented by the three words :—Fupa, a bone ; Mafupa, bones. Uta, a bow ; Mauta, bows. Fumu, a chief ; Mafumu, chiefs.

Class VIII.—Nouns which form their Plural by prefixing *a* to the Singular :—Garu, a dog ; Agaru, dogs.

Class IX.—Infinitives of verbs, corresponding to the English verbal noun in *ing* :—Kulima, hoeing. Some of these have Plurals which are

formed by changing the initial *ku* into *ma*, and the final *a* into *o* :—Kulipira, a paying or payment ; Malipiro, payments.

Class X.—Diminutives. These are formed by prefixing *ka* and *ti* to the ordinary Singular and Plural of the noun :—Garu, a dog ; Kagaru, a little dog ; Tiagaru, little dogs.—*Note* 1. Frequently the *ti* of the Plural is prefixed to the ordinary Singular of the noun, as Tigaru, little dogs. *Note* 2. As is the case in most languages, the form of the diminutive is also the form of endearment and respect.

Class XI.—Relative Nouns. The initial syllables of Singular and Plural for these nouns (of which *o* is the vowel) are given in the Table of Concords, and in composition the noun takes the concord of the class under which these initial syllables are found. A noun of the first class is here taken as a type :—Wotshita, worker ; Otshita, workers.

Class XII.—Nouns which take their concords as if the initial syllable of the Singular were mu :—Nkamwa, mouth ; Nkamwa, mouths.

TABLE OF CONCORDS FOR THE CHINYANJA LANGUAGE.

	CLASSES. SING. I. SING. VIII.	CLASSES. PLU. I. PLU. VI. PLU. VII. PLU. VIII. PLU. IX.	CLASSES. SING. II. SING. VII. 2.	CLASSES. PLU. II. SING. III. SING. VII. 3.
Of, as sign of Possessive case	wa	a	wa	ya
Concord of Numerical Adj.	modzi	a-wiri	u-modzi	i-wiri
Good	wa-bwino	a-bwino	wa-bwino	ya-bwino
Big	wang'-kuru	a-kuru	wou-kuru	yei-kuru
Bad	wo-ipa	o-ipa	wo-ipa	yo-ipa
Whole, all	ense & iense	onse	wonse	yonse
Another, other	wina	ena	wina	ina
My or mine	wanga	anga	wanga	yanga
Thy or thine	wako	ako	wako	yako
His, her, its	watshi	atshi	watshi	yatshi
Our or ours	watu	atu	watu	yatu
Your or yours	wanu	anu	wanu	yanu
Their, theirs	wao	ao	wao	yao
Who, which, or what	emwe	omwe	womwe	yomwe
This, that, these	amene	amene-wa	umene-u	imene-i
This, these (here)	uyu	awa	u	ii
This, those (there)	uyo	awo	uo	iyo
That, those	udya	adya (aja)	udya	idya
Which (of two)?	uti?	ati?	uti?	iti?
What or which, etc.?	utani? and wotani?	otani?	wotani?	yotani?
What? (of race, kind, or quality)	wanje? wangati?	anje?	wanje?	yange?
How much? How many?	ali kuti?	angati?	ungati?	ingati?
Where is he? Where are they?		ali kuti?	uli kuti?	iri kuti?
He, himself, etc.	eka	oka	woka	yoka
Pronominal Subjective Prefixes of verb in all tenses except perfects	a-	a-	u-	i-
P. S. P. for Perfects	wa-	a-	wa-	ya-
Pro. Objective medials	-m-	-a-	-u-	-i-
Initial Syllables of Relative Nouns	wo-	o-	wo-	yo-

	CLASSES. Plu. III. Plu. IV.	CLASSES. Sing. IV. Sing. V.	CLASS. Plu. V.
Of, as sign of Possessive case	za	tsha	dza
Concord of Numerical Adj.	zi-wiri	tshi-modzi	dzi-wiri
Good	za-bwino	tsha-bwino	dza-bwino
Big	zazi-kuru	tshatshi-kuru	dzadzi-kuru
Bad	zo-ipa	tsho-ipa	dzo-ipa
Whole, all	zonze	tshonse	dzonse
Another, other	zina	tshina	dzina
My or mine	zanga	tshanga	dzanga
Thy or thine	zako	tshako	dzako
His, her, its	zatshi	tshatshi	dzatshi
Our or ours	zatu	tshatu	dzatu
Your or yours	zanu	tshanu	dzanu
Their, theirs	zao	tshao	dzao
Who, which, or what	zomwe	tshomwe	dzomwe
This, that, these	zimene-zi	tshimene-tshi	dzimene-dzi
This, these (here)	izi	itshi	idzi
This, those (there)	izo	itsho	idzo
That, those	zidya	tshidya	dzidya
Which (of two)?	ziti?	tshiti?	dziti?
What or which, etc.?	zotani?	tshotani?	dzotani?
What? (of race, kind, or quality)	zanje?	tshanje?	dzanje?
How much? How many?	zingati?	tshingati?	dzingati?
Where is he? Where are they?	ziri kuti?	tshiri kuti?	dziri kuti?
He, himself, etc.	zoka	tshoka	dzoka
Pronominal Subjective Prefixes of verb in all tenses except perfects	zi-	tshi-	dzi-
P. S. P. for Perfects	za-	tsha-	dza-
Pro. Objective medials	-zi-	-tshi-	-dzi-
Initial Syllables of Relative Nouns	zo-	tsho-	dzo-

CLASSES. SING. VI. SING. VII. 1.	CLASS. SING. IX.	CLASS. SING. X.	CLASS. PLU. X.	CLASS. PLU. XII.
la	kwa	ka	ta	mwa
li-modzi	ku-modzi	ka-modzi	ti-wiri	mwa-wiri
la-bwino	kwa-bwino	ka-bwino	ta-bwino	mwa-bwino
lali-kuru	kwaku-kuru	kaku-kuru	tati-kuru	mwamu-kuru
lo-ipa	ko-ipa	ko-ipa	to-ipa	mo-ipa
lonse	konse	konse	tonse	monse
lina	kwina	kena	tina	mwina
langa	kwanga	kanga	tanga	mwanga
lako	kwako	kako	tako	mwako
latshi	kwatshi	katshi	tatshi	mwatshi
latu	kwatu	katu	tatu	mwatu
lanu	kwanu	kanu	tanu	mwanu
lao	kwao	kao	tao	mwao
lomwe	komwe	komwe	tomwe	nomwe
limene-li	kumene-ku	kamene-ka	timene-ti	
iri	kuyu	aka	iti	
ilo	kuyo	ako	ito	
lidya	kudya	kudya	tidya	
liti ?	kuti ?	kati ?	titi ?	Rarely used
lotani ?	kutani ?	kotani ?	totani ?	
lanje ?	kwanje ?	kanje ?	tanje ?	
lingati ?	kangati ?	kangati ?	tingati ?	
liri kuti ?	kuli kuti ?	kali kuti ?	tiri kuti ?	muli kuti ?
loka	koka	koka	toka	
li-	ku-	ka-	ti-	mu
la-	kwa-	ka- and kwa-	ta-	mwa
-li-	-ku-	-ka-	-ti-	
lo-	ko-	ko-	to-	mo-

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A has in Chinyanja the long sound of *a* in *father* and the short sound of *a* in *fat*, the former in accented, the latter in unaccented syllables.

A, an, as an indefinite article is expressed by the nominal prefixes—*A man, mu*ntu; *a cup, tsh*iko.

Abandon, *v. t.* *To abandon,* Ku leka.

—— *An enterprise,* Ku leka ntshito yatshi.

—— *To forsake, to desert,* Ku sia. *The goat has forsaken her kid,* Mbuzi yasia mwanatshi. *You have forsaken me,* Wandisia.

—— *To cast away by forsaking in danger or difficulty,* Ku sira. *He has abandoned his companions to the enemy,* Wasira anzatshi kwa mariwongo.

—— *To abandon a purpose in despair of succeeding,* Ku lepera. *He has abandoned the search for his goat,* Walepera kufunira mbuzi yatshi.

Abandoned, *a.* *Given up, forsaken,* -*O*siidwa.

—— *Evil, corrupt, wicked,* -*O*ipa; -*a*mpulupulu.

Abandonment, *n.* *Entire desertion,* Kusia.

Abandonment, *n.* *Of quarrel because of recompense,* Kulipira.

Abase, *v. t.* *To humble,* Ku tshepetsa. *His chief humbled him,* Fumu yatshi inamtshepetsa.

Abash, *v. t.* Ku tshititsa manyazi, ku patsa manyazi.

Abasing, *a.* -*O*tshepetsa.

Abate, *v. i.* *To grow less,* Ku gwa. *The storm has abated,* Mondwe wagwa. *The people are becoming few,* Antu asianasiana. *The swelling has abated,* or *is reduced,* Kutupa kusianidwa.

——*v.t.* *To lessen, to diminish,* Ku tshepetsa. *He has lessened the village,* Watshepetsa mudzi.

—— *To abate* or *cause pain to be less,* Ku pepuza. *He abated my pain with medicine,* Wapepuza kupweteka kwanga ndimankwala.

—— *To subside, as water in a river after a flood,* Ku tera.

Abatement, *n.* *Diminution, decrease in quantity,* Kupungula.

—— *Mitigation of pain, anger, or sorrow,* kupepuza. *The abatement of the pain,* Kupepuza kwa kupweteka.

Abater, *n.* Wopungula, opungula; wakupungula, akupungula.

Abbreviate, *v. t.* *To shorten,* Ku tshepetsa; ku finimpitsa.

—— *To abbreviate a statement or narrative,* Ku finimpitsa.

Abbreviation, *n.* Kutshepetsa; kufinimpitsa.

Abdicate, *v.t.* *To abandon,* Ku leka; ku tshoka. *He abdicated his chieftainship,* Nasia ufumu watshi.
Abdication, *n.* Kusia.
Abdomen, *n.* Mimba.
Abdominal, *a.* -*A*mimba.
Abduce, *v. t.* *To draw away,* Ku balutsa.
Abduct, *v. t.* *To remove clandestinely,* Ku ba.
—— A limb, Ku balutsa.
Abduction, *n.* Kubalutsa.
Aberration, *n.* *Act of wandering,* Kusotshera.
Abet, *v. t.* *To encourage,* Ku tangata.
—— *To abet or encourage a person to fight or quarrel,* Ku sonjezera.
Abettor, *n.* Wotangata, otangata; wosonjezera, osonjezera.
Abhor, *v. t.* *Materially,* Ku nung'kidwa ndi; *morally,* Ku kwiira.
—— *Withdraw from,* Ku nyansidwa ndi.
Abhorrence, *n.* Kunung'kidwa; kukwiira.
Abhorrently, *adv.* Konung'kidwa.
Abide, *v. i.* *To stay or dwell in a place,* Ku kala.
—— *To wait for,* Ku linda; ku lindira. *I am waiting their arrival,* Dilindira kufika kwao.
—— *To continue or remain behind with a person,* Ku tsala. *Abide (wait) with him,* Tsala ndi ie. *Abide in me, and I in you,* Kalani mwa ine, ndi ine mwa inu.
Abiding, *a.* *Lasting,* -*A*kukala.
—— *Enduring,* -*O*kalabe; -otsala.
Ability, *n.* *Physical power,* Mpamvu; kulimba; nzeru.
—— *Mental power and understanding,* Kudziwa; muwongo; nzeru.
Abject, *a.* *Low, mean,* -*O*ipa; -atshabe.
Abjectness, *n.* *Lowness, meanness, worthlessness,* Utshabe.
—— *Vanity,* Utsiru.
Abjuration, *n.* Kukana.
Abjure, *v. t.* Ku kana.
Able, *a.* *Having power, capable,* Ndi mpamvu; -olimba.
—— **Be,** *v. i.* *Strong, athletic in body,* Ku li ndi mpamvu; ku kala ndi mpamvu.
—— *v. t.* *To make able, to strengthen,* Ku limbikitsa.
Ablution, *n.* Kusamba.
Ably, *adv.* *Powerfully,* Kolimba.
—— *With ability or skill,* Kotshenjera.
Abnegate, *v. i.* Ku kana.
Abnegation, *n.* Kukana.
—— **Self,** *n.* Kudzikana.
Aboard ship, *adv. or prep.* M' tshombo.
—— **To put,** *v. t.* Ku ika m' tshombo.
—— **To go,** *v. i.* Ku loa.
Abode, *n.* *Dwelling, habitation,* Nyumba, zinyumba; malo; komwe (*also* kwa *with poss. pron*). *The house of God,* Nyumba ya Mulungu. *Place of abode,* Kwatshi (*as above*).
Abolish, *v. t.* *To repeal, to make void,* Ku tshotsa.
Abolition, *n.* Ku tshotsa.
Abolitionist, *n.* Wotshotsa, otshotsa.
Abominable, *a.* *As conduct, practice, or custom,* -*O*ipa; -oipitsa.
—— *or offensive thing or object, as a body undergoing decomposition,* -*O*nyansa.
—— *v. i.* Ku nyansa; ku nyansidwa.
Abominate, *v. t.* Ku nyansitsa.
Abomination, *n.* Nyansa, zonyansa; kunyansa.
Aboriginal, *a.* *First, primitive,* -*A*kali (a dziko); -oiamba.
Aborigines, *n.* *First inhabitants of a country,* Eni a dziko.
Abort, *v. i.* Ku taia mwana.
—— *v. t.* *To procure abortion,* Ku taiitsa mwana.
Abortion, *n.* Kutaia mwana.

Abortive, *a.* *Failing in purpose, futile,* -*A*tshabe.
Abound, *v. i.* Ku kala -*a*mbiri; ku tshuruka.
—— **Cause to,** *v. t.* Ku tshurutsa.
About, *prep.* *Near to (in position),* Kwa *and* pa.
—— *Of number,* Kwa.
—— *Concerning,* Ndi.
—— *Near to in quality,* Pafupi ndi.
—— *v. t.* *To turn about,* Ku tembenuza. *Turn yourself this way,* Tembenuka tshointshi.
—— *To turn about by rolling,* Ku gubuduza.
—— *v. i.* *To go round about an object or place,* Ku zungulira.
—— *v. t.* *To cause to go round,* Ku zunguniza.
Above, *prep. and adv.* *Higher in position,* Pamwamba. *Above in the heavens,* M' mwamba.
—— in rank or degree, -*O*pambana.
Abrade, *v. i.* Ku tsupuka. *My hand is abraded,* Dzanja langa litsupukidwa.
—— *v. t.* *To rub off by rubbing or friction,* Ku tsupula. *The tree has abraded my hand,* Ntengo watsupula dzanja langa.
Abrasion, *n.* Kutsupuka.
Abreast, *adv.* *Side by side,* Kondandalika.
—— *v. i.* *Stand or be placed side by side,* Ku ndandalika.
Abridge, *v. t.* *To shorten,* Ku fupitsa. *Shorten, contract the rope,* Fupitsa tshingwe.
—— *To lessen, to diminish,* Ku tshepetsa.
Abroad, *adv.* *Out of doors,* Kunja.
—— *From home, at the garden,* Ku munda. *I am going abroad, to another country,* Dimuka ku dziko lina.
—— *v. i.* *To get abroad, as a story,* Ku nakula.
Abrogate, *v. t.* *To repeal, to annul,* Ku bweza.
Abruptly, *adv.* *Suddenly, without warning,* Pompolino; nsanga *and* msanga; kopsantuka.
Abscess, *n.* Kutupa; fundo (la) mafundo.
—— **Pus of,** Mafinya.
Abscond, *v. i.* Ku tawa.
—— *To run away after mischief,* Ku zembazemba.
Absconder, *n.* Wakutawa, akutawa.
Absence, *n.* Kulibe.
Absent, *v. i.* Ku libe.
—— *v. t.* Ku tshotsa.
—— *adv.* Kutali, kulibe, palibe.
Absolution, *n.* *Forgiveness,* Kukululukira; kuiwala.
Absolve, *v. t.* *Forgive,* Ku kululukira.
—— Ku masula.
—— *v. i.* *Forget,* Ku iwala.
Absorb, *v.t.* *To dry up,* Ku umitsa. *The sun absorbs the dew,* Dzua liumitsa mame.
—— *v. t.* *To suck up,* Ku mwa.
Absorbed, *a.* -*O*mwedwa.
Absorption, *n.* Kumwa.
Abstain, *v. i.* Ku satenga.
—— *To desist from,* Ku leka; ku sia.
Abstemious, *a.* *Moderation,* -*O*sadietsa; -osamwetsa.
Abstemiously, *adv.* *Temperately,* kosadietsa; kosamwetsa.
Abstinence, *n.* Kuleka.
Abstract, *v. t.* *To remove clandestinely,* Ku ba.
—— *To draw out, as a thorn from the flesh,* Ku tshotsa; ku turutsa.
—— *Remove or take away,* Ku pakula.
Absurd, *a.* -*O*seketsa.
Absurdity, *n.* *An absurdity,* Kupusa.
Absurdly, *adv.* Kopusa.
Abundance, *n.* Kwambiri; kutshuruka.
Abundant, *a.* *Plentiful,* -*A*mbiri; -otshuruka. *Abundant water,* Madzi ambiri.

Abundantly, *adv.* Kwambiri; kotshuruka. *You have given us abundantly,* Watipatsa kwambiri.
Abuse, *v. t.* *To ill use,* Ku tshita nkarwe; ku sakaza.
—— *By using abusive language,* Ku tukwana; ku sakaza; ku tonza. *Leave off abusing me thus,* Leka kutonza ine tshointshi.
—— *n.* Nkarwe, zinkarwe; kutukwana.
Abuser, *n.* Wankarwe, ankarwe.
Abusively, *adv.* Kwankarwe; kotukwana.
Abyss, *n.* Phompo, (la) maphompo; kuya; tente, (la) matente.
Accede, *v. i.* Ku lola; ku bvomera.
Accelerate, *v. t.* Ku fulumiza.
Accept, *v. t.* *To receive,* Ku landira.
—— *To admit, to approve of an offer,* Ku bvomera.
—— *To accept favourably a service offered, or to accept the person so as to receive into favour,* Ku sekeretsa (ie).
Acceptable, *a.* *Happy,* -*O*sekera.
—— **to God,** -*O*landiridwa.
Acceptably, *adv.* Kolandira; kosekera; koseketsa; kolandiridwa.
Acceptance, *n.* *Favourable reception,* Kusekera.
Acceptation. Kulandira.
Acceptor, *n.* Wolandira, olandira.
Access, *n.* *Liberty to approach,* Kufika; kuzolowedwa.
Accession, *n.* *Increase by something added,* Kuong'khetsa.
Accident, *n.* *Misfortune,* Mpingu, mipingu.
—— *Bad luck,* Tsoka. *He has met with an accident,* Anali ndi mpingu. *It was an accident,* Kunali tsoka *or* kunali mpingu.
—— *Unexpected occurrence, escaped from,* Madzidzi.
—— *Unexpected good fortune,* Mwai.
Accidentally, *adv.* Kwampingu.
Acclaim, *v. t.* *To applaud,* Ku lemekeza; ku tama.
Acclamation, *n.* *A shout of joy, applause,* Kusimba; kutama.
Acclivity, *n.* Tshitunda, dzitunda.
—— *Steep place,* Malo atshitunda.
Accompany, *v. t.* Ku tsagana na- *To accompany a person part of the way upon leaving the house on a journey,* Ku tsagana nai'.
Accomplice, *n.* *A companion in crime,* Nza, anza, *with pronoun and qualifying noun.*
—— *His accomplice,* Nzatshi.
Accomplish, *v. t.* *To finish entirely,* Ku ta; ku mariza; ku tshita. *I have accomplished my work,* Damariza ntshito yanga. *The work is accomplished,* Ntshito yata.
—— *To master a difficulty,* Ku pambana. *I have accomplished that task,* Dapambana ntshito imene.
—— *To fulfil,* Ku dzaza.
Accomplished, *a.* *Finished,* -*O*ta; -*a*kuta. *An accomplished piece of work,* Ntshito yakuta.
Accord, *v. t.* *To agree, to harmonize,* Ku anjana. *These things do not agree or harmonize with each other,* Zintu zimene zosaanjana. *Their statements do not harmonize,* Mau ao osaanjana.
—— *Of one,* Ndi ntima umodzi.
Accordance, *n.* *Of things,* Kugwirizana. *Agreement, harmony of mind,* Kuanjana.
Accordingly, *adv.* Tshointshi, tshointsho. *Act accordingly,* Tshita tshointshi.
According to, *prep.* Kwa; ndi.
Accost, *v. t.* *To salute,* Ku utsa.
—— *To call after, so as to engage attention,* Ku itana.
Account, *v. i.* *To reckon or compute,* Ku werenga.
—— *To account of, to esteem,* Ku ganiza; ku lemekeza; ku weruza.

Account, *v.i. To give an account or reason for an action,* Ku wereng'jera.
—— *Render account of money,* Ku wereng'jera.
—— *n. Narrative,* Mwambi, miambi ; kunena.
—— *Of no account or esteem,* -*A*tshabe.
Accountant, *n.* Wowerenga, owerenga.
Accoutre, *v. t. To equip for war,* Ku bvalira ; ku tenga mauta.
Accoutrements, *n.* Mauta.
Accumulate, *v. t. To heap up,* Ku unjika.
—— *To gather together,* Ku unjikana.
—— *To accumulate wealth,* Ku unjika.
—— *By trading,* Ku pindula.
Accumulation, *n.* Mulu, miulu, *A heap of goods,* Mulu wa tshuma.
—— *Of people, as a multitude,* Kutshuruka, antu ambiri ; kugwirizana.
Accuracy, *n. Exactness is often expressed by a verb in the causative or intensative form in* etsa *or* itsa ; *e.g.* Ku lembetsa, *to write accurately ;* Ku punziritsa, *to learn accurately.*
Accurate, *a. In exact conformity to truth,* -*O*ona.
Accurately, *adv. Exactly, nicely,* Bwino.
—— *Truthfully,* Koona.
Accurse, *v. t. To doom to destruction,* Ku tukwana.
Accursed, *a.* -*O*tukwanidwa.
Accusation, *n.* Tshulo, (la) matshulo ; kutshula. *His accusation,* Kutshula kwatshi ; tshulo latshi.
Accuse, *v. t. As in a court of justice,* Ku tshula ; ku sinjirira.
—— *To accuse of greater wrong than actually committed,* Ku kirizira.
—— *To accuse a person of witchcraft,* Ku ti ali mfiti.
Accused, *n.* Wotshulidwa, otshulidwa.
Accuser, *n.* Wotshula, otshula.
—— *Plaintiff,* Mboni, zimboni.
—— *A false accuser,* Wotshula wonama.
Accustom, *v. t. To make familiar by use,* Ku zoloweretsa.
—— *v. i. To be accustomed to,* Ku zolowera.
Ache, *v. i. To be in pain,* Ku awa ; ku mva ululu. *I am in pain,* Dimva ululu.
—— *As the eyes from the glare of sand,* Ku tobwa.
—— *n. Headache,* Kuawa mutu. *I have the headache,* Dimva mutu.
—— *Toothache,* Kuawa dzino.
Aching pain, *n. Such as rheumatism, or aching and throbbing pain,* Kuawa (ululu, *pain*).
Acid, *a.* -*O*yayamira.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku yayamira.
Acidity, *n.* Kuyayamira.
—— **of the stomach.** Kubvungany ika.
Acknowledge, *v. i. To admit to be true,* Ku bvomera *and* ku bvomeza. *Yes, I acknowledge that as true,* E, dibvomera.
—— **A fault.** Ku bvomera ; ku bvumbula, *to confess.*
Acknowledgment, *n.* Bvume, (la) mabvume.
Acquaint, *v. t.* Ku dziwitsa. *I acquainted him with the case,* Dinadziwitsa ie ndi mrandu.
—— *v. i. To inform formally or officially,* Ku taulira.
Acquaintance, *n.* Nza, anza (*comrade*), *usually with poss. pron. attached ;* mwanansi, anansi.
Acquiesce, *v. i. To yield or submit to,* Ku lola ; ku bvomera.
Acquiescence, *n.* Kulola ; kubvomera.
Acquire, *v. t. By trading,* Ku pindula.
—— *To receive, to gain,* Ku landira ; ku peza.

Acquisition, *n.* *Of property,* Kupindula.
Acquit, *v. t.* *Judicially,* Ku masula, *oftener used in the passive,* Ku masulidwa.
Acquittal, *n.* Kumasula.
Across, *prep.* *Athwart,* -Opingasa.
—— *To fold the arms across,* Ku pinda mikono.
Act, *n.* *Conduct,* Nkhani, zinkhani.
—— *Work,* Ntshito, zintshito; kutshita.
—— *v. t.* *To do,* Ku tshita.
—— *v. i.* *As executor,* Ku siiridwa.
Acted, *pa. p.* *Done,* -*A*ta; *a*kuta. *That thing is already done,* Ntshito yata kali.
Action, *n.* *Lawsuit,* Mrandu, mirandu; mlandu, mirandu.
Active, *a.* *Nimble, lively, sharp,* -*A*tshangu; -*a*nsanga; -otshenjera. *A sharp, active person,* Muntu wotshenjera. *A nimble, industrious person,* Muntu watshangu.
Actively, *adv.* *Nimbly, briskly,* Kwatshangu; kwansangu.
—— *Diligently,* Kwatshangu. *Be active, be diligent,* Tshita nsanga.
Activity, *n.* Tshangu.
Actor, *n.* Wotshita, otshita.
Actuate, *v. t.* *To prompt,* Ku uza; ku fulumiza.
Acute, *a.* *Sharp, keen,* -Otshenjera.
—— *Skilful,* -*A*nzeru.
Acutely, *adv.* Nditu; kolimba.
Adage, *n.* Ntanti, zintanti.
Adapt, *v. t.* *To fit one thing to another,* Ku fotokoza.
Add, *v. t.* *To sum up, add to,* Ku ong'khetsa.
—— *Enlarge in quantity,* Ku kulitsa.
—— *To add to in length,* Ku talitsa.
Adder, *n.* *The puff adder,* Kapiri.
Addict, *v. t.* *To apply oneself habitually,* Ku tshita kwatshi; ku kala ndi. *This is also expressed by the continuative form of the verb in* de *or* be. *He addicts himself to lying,* Anamabe.
Addicted, *v. i.* *Devoted to by customary practice,* Ku kala ndi makalidwe.
Addled, *a.* *Corrupt, impure,* -Obvunda. *Addled eggs,* Madzira obvunda.
Address, *v. t.* *By oral or verbal application,* Ku nena ndi.
—— *By public speaking,* Ku uza; ku gwira moyo. *He addressed the people,* Anauza antu.
Addresser, *n.* Wouza, ouza; wonena, onena.
—— *Orator,* Wagwira moyo.
Adept, *n.* *One fully skilled in any art,* Wodziwitsitsa, odziwitsitsa.
—— *Well skilled,* Wamadziwira, amadziwira.
Adequacy, *n.* *Sufficiency,* Kwambiri; kutshuruka; kukwana.
Adequate, *a.* *Sufficient,* -*A*mbiri; -*O*tshuruka; -okwana. *It is adequate to the purpose,* Kuli kukwana.
Adequately, *adv.* *In a degree equal to the object,* Kokwana.
Adhere, *v. i.* *To stick to as glutinous substances,* Ku matirira.
—— *To cleave to, as to a person, or to principles of action* Ku sungana; ku kala ndi; ku umirira.
Adherence, *n.* } Kuumirira;
Adhesion, *n.* } kumatirira.
Adhesive, *a.* -*A*tikwitikwi.
Adieu, *adv.* *Farewell to one remaining,* Tsala bwino, kala bwino; *to one going,* Enda bwino; *the plurals being used if several are addressed. Adieu to you,* Tsalani bwino; kalani bwino.
Adjourn, *v. t.* *To suspend business for a time,* Ku lekeza.
Adjudge, *v. t.* *To decide judicially,* Ku weruza.

Adjudgment, *n.* *The act of judging,* Kuweruza.
Adjudicate, *v. t.* *To try judicially,* Ku weruza.
Adjudication, *n.* Tshulo, (la) matshulo; kuta; kumariza.
Adjure, *v. t.* *To bind on oath,* Ku lumbira; ku lumbiritsa.
—— *To ask to tell the truth,* Ku limbika; ku limbikitsa.
Adjured, *a.* -*O*lumbiridwa.
Adjurer, *n.* Wolumbirira, olumbirira.
Adjust, *v. t.* *To put things in order,* Ku konza.
—— *To put a thing to rights, to repair,* Ku fotokoza.
Adjusted, *a.* -*O*fotokozedwa.
Administer, *v. t.* *To act as minister or chief agent,* Ku weruza.
—— *To afford or give, as medicine,* Ku patsa.
—— *To administer relief, as in famine,* Ku patsa kudia; ku eta.
Administration, *n.* *Management of public affairs,* Kuweruza.
Administrator, *n.* Woweruza, oweruza.
Admirable, *a.* *Worthy of being admired,* -*O*enera; -*O*simbidwa.
Admire, *v. t.* Ku simba.
Admission, *n.* Kubvomereza; bvomero, (la) mabvomero; kuloa.
Admit, *v. t.* *To allow to enter,* Ku loeza.
—— *To give right of entrance,* Ku lola, ku loa.
—— *To allow as true,* Ku bvomera; ku lola.
Admittance, *n.* Kuloa.
Admix, *v. t.* *To mingle together,* Ku sang'kaniza.
Admonish, *v. t.* *To warn,* Ku ambirira; ku uza.
—— *To instruct,* Ku punzitsa.
Admonisher, *n.* *A reprover,* Woambirira, oambirira.
—— *An instructor,* Mpunzitsi, ampunzitsi.
Admonition, *n.* *Gentle reproof,* Kuambirira; kupunzitsa.
Ado, *n.* *Noise, bustle,* Pokoso (la) mapokoso.
—— *To make an ado,* Ku longolola.
Adopt, *v. t.* *To take a stranger and treat him as a son and heir,* Ku lera mwana.
—— *Choose a plan,* Ku sankula. *Follow it,* Ku mvera.
Adopted child, *n.* Mwana woleredwa.
Adopter, *n.* Wolera.
Adoption, *n.* *Of child,* Kulera (*literally nourishment*).
Adoration, *n.* Kutama; kupembedza.
Adore, *v. t.* *To love and esteem in the highest degree,* Ku kondetsa. *I love and adore him,* Dikonda ndikondetsa ie.
—— *To worship with divine honours,* Ku pembedza.
—— *To praise,* Ku tama.
—— *To honour,* Ku lemekeza.
Adorn, *v. t.* Ku konzetsa; ku kometsa.
—— *Deck,* Ku bvalira. *He has adorned himself with fine clothes,* Wadzibvalira ndi nsaru zabwino.
Adornment, *n.* Kukonza.
Adroit, *a.* *Dexterous, skilful,* -*A*nzeru.
Aduct, *v. t.* *As a limb,* Ku patikiza.
Adulation, *n.* *Flattery,* Kukometsera.
Adulator, *n.* *A servile flatterer,* Wokometsera, okometsera.
Adult, *n.* Mkuru, akuru.
Adulterate, *v. t.* Ku sang'kaniza.
Adulterer, *n.* Muntu wa tshigololo; wakutshita tshigololo.
Adulteress, *n.* Nkazi wa tshigololo, akazi a tshigololo.
Adultery, *n.* Tshigololo, zigololo.
—— *v. t.* *To commit adultery,* Ku tshita tshigololo.

Advance, *v. i.* *To move forward in front,* Ku enda patsogolo; ku pita; ku andikiza.
—— *v. t.* *To promote, to raise to higher rank,* Ku pitiriza.
—— *To forward, to accelerate growth,* Ku meretsa.
—— *To excel,* Ku posa.
—— *n.* Kuandikiza; kupitiriza; kumeretsa.
Advantage, *v. i.* *To benefit, to profit,* Ku pindula.
—— *To take advantage of one,* Ku tshenjerera; ku senyenga.
—— *n.* *Benefit,* Tshabwinitso, dzabwinitso.
—— *Gain, as in a mercantile transaction,* Kupindula.
Adventure oneself, *v. i.* Ku dzitaia; ku dziyesa.
Adversary, *n.* Liwongo, maliwongo, *and* mariwongo.
Adversity, *n.* *Poverty,* Kusauka.
—— *Calamity,* Mpingu.
—— *Bad luck,* Tsoko.
Advertise, *v. t.* Ku satsa.
Advertisement, *n.* Kusatsa.
Advice, *n.* Weruzo, (la) maweruzo.
Advise, *v. t.* *To counsel,* Ku bvomereza.
—— **together,** Ku uzana.
Adviser, *n.* Woweruza, oweruza.
Advocacy, *n.* Kunenera.
Advocate, *v. t.* Ku gwira moyo; ku nenera.
—— *n.* Nkoswe, ankoswe.
Aerial, *a.* *-A*mpepo; *-a*mlengalenga.
Afar, Kutali. *We have come from afar,* Tadzera kutali.
Affability, *n.* Kuanjana.
Affable, *a.* *Courteous,* *-O*anjana.
Affair, *n.* *Business of any kind,* Ntshito, zintshito; tshintu, zintu. *That affair is not completed,* Ntshito imene yosata.
—— *Concern, transaction, quarrel,* Mrandu, mirandu.
Affect, *v. t.* *To act upon so as to produce change in feeling or purpose,* Ku tshita ndi.
Affect, *v. t.* *To pretend to, to attempt to imitate in a manner not natural,* Ku dzikulitsa; ku nyenga.
Affectation, *n.* *False appearance,* Kudziyerekera.
Affectedly, *adv.* *Hypocritically,* Konyenga.
—— *To walk affectedly,* Ku enda kodzitama.
—— *To speak affectedly,* Ku dziyerekera.
—— *To move the eyebrows affectedly, as an expression of pride,* Ku tshinyula.
Affection, *n.* *Love,* Kukonda, makondo.
—— *Desire,* Kufuna.
Affectionately, *adv.* Kokonda.
Affidavit, *n.* Kumariza; kubvumbulutsa.
Affinity of birth, *n.* Ubali.
—— **Prohibited degrees of.** Nko.
—— *Agreement with, relation to each other, as of things,* Kukomana.
Affirm, *v. t.* Ku tero.
—— **confidently.** Ku tshimika ndi *or* wa nteradi; ku nenetsa.
Affirmation, *n.* Kutero; kubvomera.
—— **on oath.** Kutshimika ndi lumbiro.
Affix, *v. t.* *To unite to the end of,* Ku manga.
—— *To attach, to cause to adhere,* Ku gwiriza.
Afflict, *v. t.* *To trouble, to harass,* Ku sautsa.
Afflicted, *a.* *-O*sautsidwa.
Affliction, *n.* Sautso, (ya) masautso.
Affluence, *n.* *Wealth,* Tsholemera, zolemera.
Affluent, *a.* *Wealthy,* *-O*lemera. *An affluent person,* Muntu wolemera.
Affray, *a.* Ndeu.
Affright, *v. t.* *To suddenly alarm,* Ku opsa. *Don't affright me, my friend,* Usandiopsa mbali wanga.
Affrighted, *a.* *-O*opsedwa.

Affront, *v. t. To abuse to the face,* Ku puta ; ku nyoza.
—— *To give cause of offence, to make angry,* Ku kwiitsa.
—— *n.* Kuputa ; kunyoza.
Afoot, *adv. As opposed to riding,* Pa mapazi. *They performed the journey afoot,* Anaenda ulendo pa mapazi.
Afore, *adv. In front, of time or place,* Kutsogola, *general term ;* patsogolo, *near past of time, or near in front of place.*
Aforehand, *adv. Previously, to be beforehand,* Kali *and* kale ; patsogolo.
Aforetime, *adv. In time past,* Kali ; kale ; ntawi yakali.
Afraid, *past part.* -*O*opa.
—— *Act the coward,* Ku tshita manta. *I am afraid,* Diopa ; ditshita manta. *I am afraid of nothing,* Sindiopa kantu.
—— *To make afraid,* Ku opetsa ; ku opsa. *You make me afraid,* Undiopsa.
—— **To be,** *v. i. Tremble with fear,* Ku ntuntumira.
Afresh, *adv. Anew, A*nso. *The first letter* **a** *changes to the same vowel as that ending the preceding word in the sentence* ; Kwatsopano. *Again, A*nso.
—— *After an intermission, again and again,* Kawiri kawiri.
After, *adv. Behind in place or time,* Pambuiu. *After death,* Pambuiu imfa. *After their arrival,* Pambuiu kufika kwao. *After or behind the house,* Pambuiu pa nyumba.
—— *prep. After that,* Pambuiu pomwe.
—— *v. t. To go after or follow a leader,* Ku enda pambuiu ; ku tsata.
—— *To go after or follow a lost thing,* Ku funa ; ku saka.
—— *As after a cow or a horse,* Ku ronda.
After-birth, placenta, *n.* Libadzi (la) malibadzi ; tshibaliro.
Afternoon, *n.* Madzulo, *also means evening.*
—— **This.** Udzulo uno.
Afterward, *adv. At a subsequent time,* Pambuiu.
—— *v. t. To do a thing afterwards, or after refusing to do it,* Ku tshita pambuiu. *Afterwards he repented and went,* Pambuiu natembenuka, nang'ka.
Again, *adv. A second time, once more, A*nso. (*see* **Afresh.**)
—— *Again and again,* Kawiri, kawiri ; kawiri ndi kawiri. *Do it again and again, repeat the action often,* Tshita kawiri kawiri.
Against, *prep. In opposition, denoting enmity or opposing action,* Pa.
—— *adv. Opposite, on other side,* Pandunji.
—— *v. t. To lean against a person or thing,* Ku seama pa. *He leaned against the tree,* Anaseama pa ntengo. *Lean against me,* Seama pa ine.
—— *Lean against, as a stick against a wall,* Ku imika pa.
Agape, *adv.* Koyasama.
Age, *n.* Kugonera. *Old age,* Nkalamba.
—— *Age or epoch of world,* Kugonera kwa dziko, magonero a dziko ; ntawi, zintawi.
—— **Same,** *n.* Kugonera kamodzi.
Aged person, *n.* Wagonera, agonera.
—— *An aged man,* Muntu wa-nkalamba.
—— *An aged woman,* Nkazi wa nkalamba.
—— *a.* -*A*gonera.
Agedly, *adv. After the manner of an aged person,* Kogonera.
Agency, *n. Delegated authority,* Kulimbikitsa ; kukwimitsaudindo (*stewardship*).

Agent, *n.* *One who acts for another,* Nkoswe, ankoswe; mbali, abali; mwana, ana.

Aggravate, *v. t.* *To make a thing worse,* Ku ipitsa; ku tshurukitsa.

—— *To aggravate a fault,* Ku ipitsa.

Aggravation, *n.* *Annoyance,* Kunyong'onya; kuputa.

Aggress, *v. t.* *To assault or invade first,* Ku ambirira.

Aggression, *n.* Kuambirira.

Agile, *a.* *Nimble, active of limb,* -*A*tshangu.

Agility, *n.* Tshangu.

Agitate, *v. t.* *To cause violent irregular action, as in a crowd, by telling bad news, making the people angry,* Ku longoloza.

—— *To agitate the feelings,* Ku ntuntumira.

—— *v. t.* Ku ntuntumiritsa.

—— *To agitate again a matter which has been some time at rest,* Ku fulukira; ku kumbutsa; ku turutsa anso. *Why do you agitate that matter again?* Bwanje uturutsa anso mrandu umene?

—— *To mix,* Ku sang'kaniza.

Agitated, *a.* -*O*ntuntumiridwa.

Ago, *adv.* Kali *and* kale. *He left a long time ago,* Anatshoka kali. *He finished his work some time ago,* Anamariza ntshito yatshi kali.

Agony, *n.* Kusauka.

Agree, *v. i.* *To harmonize in opinion, to be of the same mind with another,* Ku anjana (*this also means to make up a quarrel*).

—— *To assent,* Ku bvomera.

—— *To be like, correspond with,* Ku fanira.

—— *To agree to a proposal,* Ku lola.

—— *To come to terms, as a bargain,* Ku pangana.

Agreeable, *a.* *Pleasant either to the mind or senses,* -*O*koma.

Agreeable, *a.* *Agreeable to the sight,* -*A*bwino. *An agreeable thing,* Tshintu tshabwino. *An agreeable person,* Muntu wabwino.

—— *Agreeable, suitable,* -*O*enera.

Agreement, *n.* *Concord, harmony,* Kuanjana.

—— *Bargain, contract, or mutual engagement between parties,* Kupangana. *That is our bargain or contract,* Kumene kuli kupangana kwatu.

—— *Resemblance, similarity,* Kufaniza; ku gwirizana. *Those things agree, resemble each other,* Zintu zimene zigwirizana.

Agriculture, *n.* Kulima.

Agriculturist, *n.* Wolima, olima.

Aground, *adv.* Pantunda.

Ague, *n.* Malungo.

Ah! *interj.* *Denoting surprise,* Wa! tsa! ho! kodi! (*Varies according to locality and dialect.*)

Aha! *interj.* *Denoting triumph, or contempt, or derision,* Ho!

Ahead, *adv.* *Farther forward than another,* Patsogolo. *He is ahead of us,* Ali patsogolo ife.

—— *v. t.* *To go ahead,* Ku enda patsogolo; ku pitirira.

Aid, *v. t.* *To aid those who are in trouble,* Ku tangata; ku tangatira.

—— *n.* Kutangata.

Aider, *n.* *Helper,* Wotangata, otangata; wakutangata, akutangata.

Ail, *v. t.* *To trouble, to make uneasy,* Ku awa; ku dwala. *What ails the child?* Mwana adwala bwanje?

Ailment, *n.* *Indisposition, sickness,* Ntenda, zintenda; kudwala.

Aim, *v. i.* *To aim at, by throwing a missile, or by firing a gun,* Ku tanda.

—— *v. t.* *To aim at, or endeavour to accomplish a purpose,* Ku yesa *and* esa.

Aim, *v. t. To aim at, or seek to obtain a thing,* Ku funa ; ku funira.
Air, *n. The atmosphere,* Mlengalenga ; mpepo, zimpepo.
—— *Mien or manner,* Makalidwe.
Akin, *a. Related by blood, allied by nature,* Bali.
Alacrity, *n.* Tshangu ; nsangu.
Alarm, *v. t. To call to arms,* Ku tshenjeza. *The chief calls his men to arms,* Fumu itshenjeza ana atshi.
——*To cause an alarm,* Ku tshenjereza.
—— *n.* Mbiri, zimbiri ; kubuka.
Alarmist, *n.* Wotshenjeza, otshenjeza.
Alas, *interj.* A ! amai ! e !
Ale, *n. Beer,* Moa.
Alert, *a. Watchful,* -*O*tshenjera.
—— *Vigilant, active,* -*A*tshangu.
Alertness, *n.* Kutshenjera, tshangu.
Alien, *n. A foreigner,* Wa dziko lina, a dziko lina.
Alienate, *v. t.* Ku panga mlendo ; *plu.* Alendo.
Alight, *v. t. As from a horse, descend,* Ku tsika.
—— *v. i. As a bird from flight,* Ku kaka.
Alike, *a. To be alike, to resemble each other,* -*O*fana ; -*O*fanafana.
Aliment, *n. Food, nourishment,* Kudia, kulera.
Alive, *a.* -*A*moyo ; -ndi moyo. *He is still alive,* Ali ndi moyo.
All, *pron. Every one, the whole number,* Onse. *All the people,* Antu onse.
Allay, *v. t. To pacify, to appease,* Ku letsa.
—— *To abate, to mitigate,* Ku tshepetsa ; ku peputsa. *The medicine allays the pain,* Mankwala apeputsa ululu.
Allege, *v. t. To declare, to assert,* Ku tero.
Allegorize, *v. i.* Ku nena *or* ku panga fanizo lalikuru.
Allegory, *n.* Ntanti, zintanti ; ntanu, zintanu ; fanizo lalikuru, mafanizo akuru.
Alleviate, *v. t. To mitigate, as to alleviate sorrow or pain,* Ku peputsa.
Alligator, *n.* (*Really crocodile.*) Ng'ona, zing'ona.
Allot, *v. t.* Ku gawana ; ku sonya.
—— *To cast lots,* Ku yesa.
Allotment, *n.* Kugawana ; malo. *His allotment,* Malo atshi ; kugawana kwatshi.
Allow, *v. t.* Ku lola. *I allow that;* Dilola tshimene.
Allude, *v. i.* Ku tshula ; ku kumba.
Allure, *v. t.* Ku nyenga.
Allurement, *n.* Tshinyengo.
Almighty, *a.* -*A*mpamvuyonse. *I am God Almighty,* Diri Mulungu Wampamvuyonse.
Almost, *adv. Nearly,* Pafupi.
Alms, *n.* Zaulere, *sing.* Tshaulere ; tandiziro, matandiziro.
—— **To give,** *v. t.* Ku tandizira.
Aloe, *n.* Kuzi, akuzi.
Aloft, *adv. and prep. High, above,* Pamwamba.
Alone, *a.* -Ka.
—— **To let,** *v. t.* Ku leka ; ku sia.
Aloud, *adv.* Kogalamula.
Alphabet, *n.* Alfabeta.
Already, *adv.* Kali *and* kale ; patsogolo.
Also, *adv. A*nso ; *the initial vowel changes according to the final vowel of the preceding word.*
Altar, *n. The place for offering sacrifices,* Katshisi, akatshisi.
Alter, *v. t. To make a change in,* Ku sinta ; ku fotokoza ; ku tembenuza. *Alter your work,* Fotokoza ntshito yako.
—— *v. i. To alter an opinion, or to alter the conduct,* Ku tembenuka. *I will alter my conduct,* Didzatembenuza makalidwe anga.
Alteration, *n.* Kusinta ; kutembenuka ; kufotokoza.

Altercation, *n.* Ndeu, zindeu; pokoso, mapokoso. *Who has caused this altercation,* Ndani wapanga pokoso limene?

Although, *conj.* *Notwithstanding that, admitting that,* Koma; ngati; kapena.

Altitude, *n.* *Height above the surface,* Utali.

Altogether, *adv.* *Wholly, entirely,* Konse; konsekonse. *It is altogether bad,* Kuli koipa konsekonse.

—— *United action,* Pamodzi. *Do it altogether,* Tshitani pamodzi.

Always, *adv.* *Perpetually, for ever,* Ntawi yonse.

—— *Continually, very frequently,* Masiku onse; kawiri, kawiri. *He is always doing this,* Alikutshita tshimene kawiri kawiri.

Amass, *v. t.* *To collect into a heap,* Ku song'kanitsa.

—— *To gather together,* Ku unjika.

—— *To accumulate as property,* Ku pindula.

—— **as grain or wealth,** Ku kung'ka.

Amaze, *v. t.* *To astonish with fear,* Ku opsa.

—— **by something strange,** Ku zizwitsa.

Amazed, *v. i.* Ku zizwitswa; ku zizwa.

Ambassador, *n.* Ntenga, mitenga.

Ambassage, *n.* Mitenga.

Ambition, *n.* Kudzilimbika.

Amble, *v. i.* Ku tikuzika; ku dula ntshuno.

Ambuscade, *n.* Wobisalira, obisalira.

Amend in health, *v. i.* Ku tshira.

—— *To reform by quitting bad habits,* Ku tembenuka; ku leka.

Amendment, *n.* Kutshira; kuleka; kutembenuka.

Amethyst, *n.* Hametisto.

Amicably, *adv.* Bwino; koanjana.

Amid, Amidst, *prep.* *In the middle,* Pakati. *Amidst the people,* Pakati pa antu.

Amiss, *a.* *Wrong, faulty,* -*O*ipa; -*o*tshimwa; -*a*kutshimwa.

—— **Something.** Kantu katshimo; koipa.

Amity, *n.* Kuanjana.

Ammunition, *n.* Tshimuna, zimuna; (*cartridges,* Mubvi, mibvi).

—— *Bullets,* Tshipolopolo, *plu.* Zipolopolo.

—— *Gunpowder,* Wonga.

Among, Amongst, *prep.* M'; mu; mwa; mo.

Ample, *a.* *Sufficient,* -Mbiri.

Amplitude, *n.* *Largeness of bodies,* Ukulu (wa).

—— *Largeness of means or power,* Unyinji wa mpamvu.

Amply, *adv.* Kokwanira.

Amputate, *v. t.* Ku dula.

Amuse, *v. t.* Ku seketsa.

Amusement, *n.* Tshiphwete.

An, *a.* *See* **A.**

Anchor, *n.* Nangula, anangula.

—— **To weigh,** *v. t.* Ku tukula nangula.

Ancient, *a.* *An ancient thing,* Kali *and* kale.

Anciently, *adv.* Kali. *Anciently, or of old, it was so,* Kunali tshointsho kali. *Anciently they did so,* Anatshita tshointsho kali.

And, *conj.* Ni, ndi, ndimo; na, -n.

Anecdote, *n.* Mwambi, miambi. *Tell us an anecdote,* Utiuza mwambi.

Angel, *n.* *A messenger of heaven,* Njelo, anjelo.

—— **Arch-,** *n.* Njelo wang'kuru.

Anger, *n.* Kukwia. *His anger is great,* Kukwia kwatshi kuli kwakukuru.

—— *v. t.* *To rouse, to excite to anger,* Ku kwiitsa.

Angle, *n.* *Of a house,* Gondia, magondia.

Angle, *v. t.* *To fish with a line and hook,* Ku edza nsomba; ku manga nsomba.
Angler, *n.* Womanga nsomba, omanga nsomba.
Angry, *v. i.* *To be angry,* Ku kwia. *An angry man,* Muntu wokwia.
—— *Cross,* Ku kalipa.
—— *a.* -*O*kwia; -*a*nkarwe.
Anguish, *n.* Nkarwe, zinkarwe; kupweteka.
—— *Pain,* Ululu; kupwetekwa kwambiri.
Animadversion, *n.* *Censure,* Kusulumula.
Animadvert, *v. t.* Ku sulumula.
Animal, *n.* *A wild animal of the carnivorous species,* Tshirombo, zirombo. *A wild animal of the herbivorous species,* Nyama, zinyama.
Animate, *v. t.* *To give spirit or vigour,* Ku fulumiza.
Ankle, *n.* Mbogodo; mfundo ya pazi, zimfundo.
—— **bone,** *n.* Mfula, mamfula.
Annex, *v. t.* *To unite at the end,* Ku patikiza.
Annihilate, *v. t.* Ku mwaza.
Annihilated, *a.* -*O*mwazidwa.
Annihilation, *n.* Kumwaza.
Announce, *v. t.* *To proclaim,* Ku uza.
Announcement, *n.* *Proclamation,* Kuuza.
Annoy, *v. t.* *To tease, vex, or molest,* Ku puta; ku bvuta.
—— *To persecute,* Ku sautsa.
—— *To make angry,* Ku kwiitsa.
—— *To continually annoy,* -Be *added as suffix to preceding, e. g.* Ku puta*be*.
Annoyance, *n.* Kuputa; kubvuta; sautso; soni *and* nsoni.
Annually, *adv.* *Year by year,* dzaka dzonse.
Annunciate, *v. t.* Ku langiza.
Annunciation, *n.* Kulangiza.
Annunciator, *n.* Wolangiza, olangiza.
Anoint, *v. t.* Ku dzosa.
—— **oneself,** *v. i.* Ku dzola.
Anointed, *a. and n.* Wodzoledwa, *plu.* o-; *wo*dzoledwa, odzoledwa.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku dzoledwa.
Anointer, *n.* Wodzosa, odzosa.
Anointing, *n.* } Kudzosa; ku-
Anointment, *n.* } dzola.
Another, *pron.* *Not the same,* Wina, *etc.* *Another of a different sort,* Mtundu wina.
Answer, *v. t.* *To return a call,* Ku yamula; ku iang'ka.
—— *To answer a question,* Ku yang'ka.
—— *v. i.* *To agree with, or correspond with,* Ku tsheza anso; ku fanira.
—— *n.* Kuyang'ka; kwiang'ka.
—— Bvume, (la) mabvume.
—— *Affirmative,* Bvomero, mabvomero.
—— *Sentence of death,* Tshulo.
Ant, *n.* *Brownish red carnivorous* (Eocoitenes ?), Lintumbu, (la) malintumbu.
—— *The white ant,* Tshiswe, ziswe.
—— *Harvest ant, one kind of* nyerere zinyerere.
—— *Small black ant, partly carnivorous,* nyerere zinyerere.
Antagonism, *n.* Kugwinya.
Antagonize, *v. t.* Ku gwinya.
Antelope, *n.* Nyama. *Many antelopes,* Nyama zambiri.
Anthem, *n.* Nyimbo, zinyimbo.
Ant-hill, *n.* Mulu, miulu.
Anticipate, *v. t.* *To act before another, to take first possession,* Ku tshita patsogolo.
Antipathy, *n.* *Aversion,* Kusafuna; kukwia.
Anus, *n.* Poonyera.
Anvil, *n.* Suliro, masuliro.
Anxiety, *n.* Kufunsafunsa (ntima).
Anxious, *a.* -*O*funsafunsa.
—— *v. i.* *To be anxious,* Ku kala kofunsafunsa.

Apart, *adv. Alone,* Kobaluka; kutseri; kopanda.
—— Kozemba.
—— *a.* -*O*zemba; -obaluka; -akutseri; -opanda; -olekana.
Ape, *n. Small species, monkey,* Pusi, apusi.
—— *Large species, baboon,* Nyani, anyani.
Aperture, *n. A cleft, a chasm,* Phompo, (la) maphompo.
—— *A perforated hole,* Mbola.
—— *An opening in a wall,* Tshiterera, dziterera.
—— *Cleft in fork,* Mpanda, mipanda.
Apex, *n. The summit,* Mwamba.
—— *The tip or point of anything,* Songa *or* nsonga, masonga.
Apostasy, *n.* Kutembenuka.
Apostate, *n.* Wotembenuka, otembenuka.
Apostatize, *v. i.* Ku tembenuka.
Apostle, *n.* Mpostile, apostile.
—— *ship.* Upostile.
Apparel, *n.* Nsaru.
—— *v. t. To clothe oneself,* Ku bvala.
—— *To clothe another,* Ku bveka.
Apparition, *n.* Nzukwa, mizukwa.
Appeal, *v. i. To a higher tribunal or authority,* Ku lekera kwa.
Appear, *v. i. To come out, as a person from a house, or as the sun in the morning,* Ku turuka.
—— *To be seen in the distance,* Ku onekera. *There are men appearing on the mountain,* Alipo antu alikuonekera pa piri. *They have not yet appeared,* Sanaturuka.
Appearance, *n. Countenance,* Nkope, zinkope.
—— *Person or figure,* makalidwe.
—— *Presence,* Kuona.
—— *Coming,* Kufika.
Appearing, *n.* Kusonya; kuonekera.
Appease, *v. i. To appease the passions, to gratify,* Ku sungula.
Appease, *v. t.* Ku sungulutsa.
—— *To appease, calm, make quiet,* Ku tontoletsa.
—— *As to calm the sea,* Ku gwetsa nyanja; ku tshita bata. *And there was a great calm,* Ndimo kunali bata lambiri.
—— *To appease anger,* Ku teteza.
Appetite, *n. A desire for food,* njala.
Applaud, *v. t.* Ku tamanda.
—— *To applaud by acclamation,* Ku bvomereza.
Applauder, *n.* Wotamanda, otamanda.
Applause, *n.* Kutamanda.
Apple, *n.* Apole.
Applicable, *a. Fit to be applied,* -*O*enera.
Appoint, *v. t. To constitute, to order,* Ku ika; ku loeza; ku nena.
—— *To determine, to arrange,* Ku sonyeza; ku kazika.
Appointed, *a. To a post,* -*O*ikidwa.
Apportion, *v. t.* Ku gawa.
Apprehend, *v. t. To conceive, perceive,* Ku dziwitsa. *To apprehend by the mind,* Ku dziwa.
—— *To seize,* Ku gwira.
Apprize, *v. t. To inform,* Ku taulira.
—— *To inform officially and formally,* Ku uza.
—— *To apprize of danger,* Ku tshenjereza.
—— *To forewarn,* Ku tshenjeza.
Approach, *v. i.* Ku dza; ku fika pafupi; ku andika; ku yandika *and* yandikila.
Approbation, *n.* Kusimba.
Appropriate clandestinely, *v.* Ku tola; ku landa.
—— *Fit, proper,* -*O*enera.
Approval, *n.* Kusimba.
Approve, *v. t.* Ku simba.
—— *To be tried,* Ku yesedwa.
Approved, *a.* -*O*simbidwa; -obvomeredwa.

Approximate, *v. t. To bring near, sideways,* Ku gumaniza.
—— *End to end,* Ku komaniza.
Apron, *n.* Eprone (la) maeprone.
Arab, *n.* Nasara, Anasara.
Arbiter, *n.* Wolongosa, olongosa.
Arbitrate, *v. t.* Ku longosa.
—— *To rule,* Ku lekanitsa.
Architect, *n. Builder,* Womanga, omanga.
Argue, *v. i.* Ku kanganitsana; ku sing'kasing'ka; ku gazitsana.
—— *talk,* Ku lankula.
Argument, *n.* Tshifukwa, dzifukwa.
—— Kugazitsana, kukanganitsana.
Aright, *adv.* Kodeka.
Arise, *v. i. From slumber,* Ku uka.
—— *From a sitting posture,* Ku ima.
—— *To emerge from below the horizon, as the sun,* Ku turuka; ku kwera.
—— *To ascend,* Ku kwera.
—— *To appear or become visible, as a star or constellation, which is invisible during a part of the year,* Ku turuka.
Aristocracy, *n.* Otshuka.
Ark, *n.* Arke, (la) maarke.
Arles, *n. Earnest,* Tshigwiriro, dzigwiriro.
Arm, *v. t. To take arms for war,* Ku tenga mauta.
—— *To furnish with weapons of warfare,* Ku gwiritsa mauta.
—— **of the body,** *n.* Nkono, mikono; *lit. the forearm.*
Armlet, *n. A bracelet,* Tshamukono, dzamukono.
—— *Of ivory worn on the upper part of the arm above the elbow,* Koza, makoza.
—— *Of elephant's hoof,* Tshipandia, zipandia.
Armour, *n. Whole (panoply), offensive and defensive,* Tshamuna.
Armour, *n. Defensive,* Ntshinjirizo, mitshinjirizo.
Armpit, *n.* Kwapa, (la) makwapa.
Arms, *n. Weapons of war,* Mauta.
Army, *n. Band of soldiers,* Gulu la ankhondo, magulu a ankhondo.
Arouse, *v. t.* Ku ukitsa.
Arrange, *v. t. To put in order,* Ku ndandalitsa.
—— *To appoint,* Ku sonyeza.
—— *To spread out, as a bed,* Ku ala *or* yala.
—— *In order,* Ku ndandalika.
Array. Ku bveka.
Arrest, *v. t. To seize,* Ku gwira.
—— *To arrest progress,* Ku tshedwetsa.
Arrival, *n.* Kufika.
Arrive, *v. i.* Ku fika.
—— *To arrive together at the same place and time, as a company of people,* Ku fikana.
—— *Of time,* Ku kwana; ku kwanira.
—— *The time is come,* Ntawi ikwanira.
Arrogance, *n. Pride,* Kudzitama.
Arrogant, *a.* -*O*dzitama; -*O*dzinyenga.
Arrow, *n.* Mubvi, mibvi.
Art, *n. Skill,* Nzeru.
Artery, *n.* Nsimpi.
Artful, *a. Skilful,* -*A*nzeru; -*O*tshenjera.
Artfully, *adv. Skilfully,* Kwanzeru.
—— *Cunningly,* Kotshenjera.
Artículate, *v. t. To pronounce,* Ku tshula; ku lankula.
Artifice, *n.* Kutshikula; matshikulo.
Artificer, / **Artisan,** } *n.* Msiri, misiri.
As, *conj. In like manner,* -*O*fana, -ofanafana; modzimodzi. *Do as he does,* Tshita wofana ndie. *Do as you are bid,* Tshita monga uuzidwa.
—— *As though, as if,* Monga; monga ngati.

Ascend, *v. i.* *To move upwards, to climb,* Ku kwera. *He ascended the mountain,* Anakwera piri.
—— *As a bird,* Ku uluka. *The bird ascended towards heaven,* Mbalame inauluka ku mwamba.
—— *As smoke or steam,* Ku fuka.
Ascendency, *n.* *Governing or controlling influence,* Mpamvu, zimpamvu.
Ascension, *n.* Kukwera. *The ascension of the sun,* Kukwera kwa dzua.
Ascent, *n.* *The act of rising,* Kuuka.
—— *The ascent of a bird,* Kuuluka.
—— *The way of ascent, as a hill or eminence,* Njira yokwera piri.
Ascertain, *v. t.* *To make certain by trial or examination,* Ku yesa; yeza; etsa; esa. *To ascertain the truth of a thing by trial, to test,* Ku funsa.
Ashamed, *a.* Ku li ndi manyazi. *I am ashamed,* Diri ndi manyazi.
Ashes, *n.* Polusa, mapolusa.
Ashore, *adv.* Pagombe.
Aside, *adv.* *On one side (the farther),* Patsidia lidya.
—— *The near side, as of a river,* Patsidia lakuno.
—— *In private,* Kotseri, kutseri.
Ask, *v. t.* *To seek to obtain by words, to request,* Ku funa.
—— *For terms of peace, as a conquered people,* Ku gonja.
—— *To require or claim,* Ku zindikila. *Ask for money,* Ku funsira ndrama.
—— *To request,* Ku funsa; ku pempa.
—— *To seek information,* Ku funsa tshobukira.
—— *To ask permission,* Ku tsazika.
Aslant, *adv.* Kodulisa.
Asleep, *adv.* -Tulo; ndi tulo. *They are asleep,* Agona tulo.
Aslope, *adv.* Kotsereereka.
—— *a.* -Otsereereka.
Asp, *n.* Mpiri, ampiri.
Asperse, *v. t.* *To slander,* Ku nseke.
—— *Accuse falsely,* Ku namiza.
Asperser, *n.* Wanseke, anseke.
Aspersion, *n.* Kunseke; kunamiza.
Aspirate, *v. t.* *To breathe out, to respire,* Ku uzira.
Aspire, *v. i.* Ku funa; ku yesa; ku dzilimbika.
Assagai, *n.* Ntungo, zintungo.
Assassin, *n.* Wokwitika, okwitika; wambanda, ambanda.
Assassinate, *v. t.* Ku kwitika.
Assault, *v. t.* *To assault the person,* Ku menya; ku lowerera.
—— *To assault a person by words, so as to provoke a quarrel,* Ku tukwana.
Assemble, *v. t.* Ku song'kanitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku song'kana.
Assembly, *n.* *An assembly of people,* Kugwirizana.
—— *Council,* Gulu, magulu; gulu la ankoswe, magulu a ankoswe; gulu la ambiri, magulu a ambiri.
Assent, *v. i.* Ku bvomera; ku lola. *I assent to your proposal,* Dilola ndi mau ako.
—— *n.* Kubvomera, kulola; bvomero, (la) mabvomero. *Their assent,* kubvomera kwao.
Assert, *v. i.* *To affirm,* Ku tshula; ku lola; ku nena; ku tero; ku ti nditu. *I assert it,* Diti tshointsho nditu.
Assertion, *n.* *Statement,* Tshulo, matshulo; kutshula. *That assertion is not true,* Tshulo tshimene sitshiri tshoona.
Assign, *v. t.* *To show,* Ku langiza.
Assimilate, *v. t.* *To cause to resemble,* Ku faniza.
Assist, *v. t.* *To help, succour,* Ku tangata; ku tangatira; ku tandiza.
—— *To lend aid,* Ku enjeza; ku tangata.
Assistant, *n.* Wotangata, otangata.

Associate, *v. i.* Ku komana ndi.
—— *n.* Nza, *with pron.* anza; mbali, abali. *My assistant,* Nzanga.
Assort, *v. t.* *To separate and distribute into classes,* Ku sang'ka. *To arrange or set in order,* Ku ndandalitsa.
Assuage, *v. t.* *To allay, to mitigate,* Ku peputsa *or* pepuza. *To allay pain,* Ku pepuza ululu.
—— *v. i.* *To abate or subside,* Ku tsika.
Assurance, *n.* *Confidence, self-assurance,* Kulimbitso; kulimbika; kulimbikitsa; mvanu; kudzilimbikitsa.
Assure, *v. t.* *To give confidence,* Ku mvanitsa; ku limbikitsa.
Astonish, *v. t.* *Amaze,* Ku zizwitswa.
Astonished, *a.* -*O*zizwitswa.
Astray, *adv.* Kosotshera. *The ox is gone astray,* Ng'ombe ina sotshera.
—— *v. i.* *To go astray,* Ku sotshera.
—— *v. t.* *To lead astray,* Ku sotshereza.
Astride, *adv.* Kotagalala *and* kotangalala.
Asunder, *adv.* *Separate,* Kolekana; kolekanitsa.
—— *v. i.* *To part from one another,* Ku lekana.
—— *v. t.* Ku lekanitsa.
—— *To cut asunder, to saw,* Ku tsheka kolekanitsa.
—— *To cut asunder longitudinally,* Ku ng'amba.
—— *To cut across,* Ku dula.
—— *To put asunder,* Ku masula.
Asylum, *n.* *Refuge,* Malo opulumukira; malo otawira.
At, *prep.* *Near to, in that locality,* Pa; kwa; ku.
—— *adv.* *At least,* Nditu.
—— *At the most,* Pa ambiri opambana.

Athirst, *a.* -*a*ludzu.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku mva ludzu.
Atone, *v. t.* Ku lipa.
—— **for,** Ku lipira.
Atonement, *n.* Dipo, malipo.
—— **To make,** *v. i.* Ku pereka dipo.
Attach, *v. t.* *To cause to adhere,* Ku gwiriza.
—— *Annex or join to,* Ku tondomeza; ku unjika.
—— **oneself to a company.** Ku dziunjika.
Attack, *v. t.* *To assail with force,* Ku menya.
—— **with troops,** Ku tira nkondo kwa.
Attain, *v. t.* Ku landira; ku fika ku.
Attainment, *n.* Kulandira; kufika.
Attempt, *v. t.* Ku yesa *and* esa, *also with* z.
—— *n.* Kuyesa, mayeso.
Attend, *v. t.* *To accompany, to go with on a journey,* Ku tsagana ndi; ku enda ndi.
—— *To pay attention,* Ku mvetsetsa; ku yang'anitsa.
—— *v. i.* *To serve as an attendant,* Ku imirira.
—— *To attend at court, of a headman,* Ku weruza.
—— *To attend at court, of the people,* Ku tsheza.
Attendance, *n.* Kuimirira.
Attendant, *n.* Bandazi, abandazi.
—— **Female.** Bandaziwankazi, abandaziankazi.
Attention, *n.* Kumvetsetsa; kuyang'anitsa.
Attest, *v. t.* Ku dziwitsitsa; ku sindikiza.
Attestation, *n.* Kudziwitsitsa; kusindikiza.
Attire oneself, *v. t.* Ku bvala.
—— **another,** Ku bveka.
Attribute, *v. t.* Ku li ndi; tshiri *tshatshi.*
—— *n.* *Essential quality,* Ntsemerero, mitsemerero.

Audacity, *n. Boldness,* Kulimbika ntima; kuzinga ntima.
Audience, Hearing of, *n.* Kumva.
—— *Assembly,* Gulu, magulu.
Auger, *n. Instrument for boring holes,* Tshopolera; oger, maoger.
Aught, *n.* Kantu.
Augment, *v. t. To increase,* Ku tshurukitsa; ku onjeza.
—— *To enlarge in size,* Ku kulitsa.
Augur, *v. t. To consult an augur,* Ku ombedza ula.
Aunt, *n. The father's sister,* Mlongo wa atate, alongo a-. *The mother's sister,* Mlongo wa amai, alongo a-.
Aurora, *n. The ruddy rising light of morning,* Kufuna kutsha; kwafira.
Austere, *a.* -*O*kwiakwia.
Author, *n. One who produces a thing,* Wopanga, opanga.
—— *Beginner,* Woiamba, oiamba.
—— *Cause,* Tshifukwa, zifukwa.
Authority, *n.* Mpamvu, zimpamvu; wampamvu, ampamvu; tshifumu; kuweruza; mvanu.
—— *Delegated authority,* Kulindiritsa kwa fumu.
Autumn, *n. Harvest time,* Masika. *At the time of autumn,* Pa ntawi ya masika. *He arrived in the autumn,* Anafika m' masika.
Avail, *v. t.* Ku limbika; ku tshita.
—— *To count,* Ku werenga.
—— *To be something,* Ku li kantu.
Avenge, *v. t.* Ku zimbula; ku mulira.
—— *To punish,* Ku langa.
Avenger, *n.* Wozimbula, ozimbula.
Aver, *v. t. To affirm with confidence,* Ku limbika; ku tshimika ndi ntoradi.
Aversion, *n.* Kukwia; kusafuna.
Avert, *v. t. To turn off, to keep off,* Ku inga.
Avoid, *v. t. To shun a locality,* Ku lambalala.
Avoid, *v. t. To avoid from fear or shame,* Ku nyala.
—— *To keep at a distance from,* Ku nsala.
—— *To avoid by moving out of the way, as avoiding a missile thrown,* Ku tshoka.
Avow, *v. t. To declare openly,* Ku bvomera.
Await, *v. t.* Ku linda; ku lindira.
Awake, *v. t. To rouse from sleep,* Ku dzutsa; ku galamutsa.
—— *v. i. To awake from sleep,* Ku uka; ku dzuka; ku galamuka.
Award, *v. t. To adjudge,* Ku weruza.
—— *n. Prize,* Sekeretso, (la) masekeretso.
—— *Judicial decision,* Kulamula; kutshula; kumariza.
Aware, *v. i. To be aware of,* Ku dziwana.
Away, *adv. At a distance,* Kutali; kulibe.
—— *Not present,* Kulibe.
—— *Yonder,* Uko, *repeated in a falsetto voice, to indicate greater distance.*
—— *v. i. To go away,* Ku muka; ku tshoka.
—— *To run away, abscond,* Ku tawa.
—— *To cast away,* Ku taia *and* taya.
—— *To drive away,* Ku tshotsa.
Awe, *n. Reverential fear,* Kudzinga; kuopa.
—— *To strike with fear, to cause fear,* Ku opetsa.
—— *To call forth reverence,* Ku dzingitsa.
Awful, *a.* -*O*opsa.
Awhile, *adv. A small space of time,* Ntawi yeing'ono.
Awl. Tshobolera, dzobolera.
Axe, *n.* Nkwangwa, zinkwangwa.
—— *A small axe, a hatchet,* Nkwangwa yeing'ono.
Aye! *interj.* E!
Azure, *a.* -*A*kuda.

B

B has in Chinyanja the sound of *b* in *bid*.

Babble, *v. i. To talk idly,* Ku longolola.

Babbler, *n.* Wolankuladala, olankuladala.

Babbling, *n.* Kulongolola, malongololo.

Babe, *n.* Kanda, makanda; kamwana ka manja; wokanda, okanda.

Baboon, *n.* Nyani, anyani.

Babyhood, *n.* Ukanda.

Bachelor, *n.* Mamuna wambeta, amuna ambeta.

Bachelorship, *n.* Umbeta.

Back, *n.* Nsana *and* msana, misana.

—— **of a knife.** Kupwinika; kwakupwinikwa.

—— *v. i. To go back,* Ku bwera.

—— *v. t. To turn the back to another,* Ku bweza.

—— *To keep back,* Ku bwezera.

—— *To go or come back,* Ku bwera.

—— *To look back,* Ku yang'anira kumbuiu.

—— *adv.* Pambuiu *and* kumbuiu.

Backbite, *v. t.* Ku nseke.

Backbiter, *n. Slanderer,* Wanseke, anseke, *and* amiseka.

Backbiting, *n.* Kunseke; nseke, miseke.

Backbone, *n.* Fupa la nsana.

Backslide, *v. i.* Ku poponya.

Backward or Backwards, *v. t. To draw backwards,* Ku bwereza.

—— *adv.* Kumbuiu; kobwerera.

Bacon, *n.* Nyama ya nguruwe.

Bad, *a. Morally bad,* -oipa. *A bad person,* Muntu woipa.

—— *Unwholesome, corrupt,* -Obvunda.

—— *Worthless,* -Otaia; -otaiidwa. *A bad road,* Njira yoipa. *Bad corn,* Mapira obvunda.

Badge, *n. A mark or token of distinction,* Tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.

—— *Badge of office,* Tshigwiriro, dzigwiriro; tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.

—— *v. t. To mark with a badge,* Ku sindikiza.

Badly, *adv.* Koipa.

Badness, *n.* Kwaipa; kuipa, *ctr.*, kwipa.

—— *Corruption,* Kubvunda.

Baffle, *v. t.* Ku lepera.

Baffled, To be, *v. i.* Ku lepedwa.

Bag, *n.* Tumba, (la) matumba. *Fill the bag,* Dzaza tumba.

Baggage, *n. Loads,* Katundu, akatundu.

—— *Possessions,* Tumba, matumba; tshuma.

Bail, *n. At law,* Tshigwiriro, dzigwiriro.

Bailiff, *n.* Wolamulidwa, olamulidwa.

Bait, *v. t. With dogs,* Ku yakwiza (*to set dogs on or at game*).

—— **for fish,** Nyambo, zinyambo.

—— **for game,** Nyambo, zinyambo; tshonyengera.

Bake, *v. t. To bake meat,* Ku otsha nyama.

—— *To bake bread,* Ku ombera nkate.

—— *To bake or burn bricks or pottery,* Ku otsha mabrike *or* mipika.

Baker, *n.* Wakuombera nkate, akuombera nkate; woombera nkate, oombera nkate.

Balance, *v. t. To make equal, to adjust, as by weight,* Ku yesa.

—— *By measure,* Ku linganiza.

—— *n. Scales for weighing,* Muyezo; mweso; tshoyezera.

Bald, *a. Without hair,* -Adazi. *A bald-headed person,* Muntu wadazi.

Baldness, *n.* Dazi, madazi.

Bale of goods, *n.* Tumba, matumba.

Bale, *v. t. To dip out, as water,* Ku kapa. *Bale out the water,* Kapa madzi.
Baleful, *a. Sorrowful, sad, -A*soni; ndi nsoni; *-a*tshisoni. *I am sorrowful,* Diri ndi nsoni.
Balk, *v. t. To frustrate,* Ku sakaza.
Ball, *n. For playing with,* Mpira, mipira.
—— *Bullet,* Tshipolopolo, zipolopolo.
Ballad, *n. A little song,* Kanyimbo.
Ballet, *n. A mimic dance,* Kuyeseza.
Balmy, *a. Fragrant, -O*nung'kira. *A fragrant or balmy flower,* Lua lonung'kira.
Bamboo, *n.* Nsungwi, zinsungwi.
Bamboozle, *v. t. To deceive,* Ku nyenga; ku pusitsa.
Banana, *n. General term,* Ntoitshi *and* ntotshi, zintoitshi and zintotshi.
—— **Small,** Katsizi, akatsizi.
—— **Plantain,** Mlanya, milanya.
Band, *n. A tie for binding,* Tshomangira, zomangira; tshomanga, zomanga.
—— *A cord or string,* Tshingwe, zingwe.
—— *Round the wall of a house; the hoop of a barrel,* Mwanga, mianga.
—— **Carved,** *of wood round a double basket,* Koa, makoa.
—— *A company of people,* Gulu la antu, magulu a antu.
—— *A company of armed men,* Gulu la ankhondo, magulu a ankhondo.
—— **of music,** gulu la agule.
—— *v. t. To associate or unite together,* Ku pangana.
Bandage, *n.* Nsaru ya bala; nsaru ya tshironda.
Bane, *n. Mischief, ruin,* Kwaipa.
Baneful, *a. Hurtful, destructive, -O*ipa; *-O*pweteketsa.
Banish, *v. t. To drive away,* Ku tshotsa.
Banish, *v. t. To expel the country,* Ku tshotsa kwa dziko lina.
Banishment, *n.* Kutshotsa.
Bank, *n. A ridge of earth,* Donga, (la) madonga.
—— **of river,** Gombe, magombe.
—— *v. t. To throw up a bank,* Ku unjika donga.
—— *n. A place where money is deposited,* Banke.
Banker, *n. Exchanger,* Wosinta, osinta.
Banner, *n.* Bendera, zibendera.
Banquet, *n.* Kudia kwambiri.
Banter, *v. t. To annoy,* Ku puta.
—— *To ridicule,* Ku seketsa.
Bantling, *n.* Mwana, ana.
Baobab-tree, *n. Adansonia digitata,* Nlambe *and* mulambe, milambe.
Baptism, *n.* Mbapatisma.
Baptismal, *a. -A*mbapatisma.
Baptize, *v. t.* Ku bapatiza. *I baptize you with water,* Dikubapatiza ndi madzi.
Baptizer, *n.* Wobapatiza, obapatiza.
Bar, *v. t. To shut out,* Ku tseka; ku tseketsa.
—— *To bar an entrance,* Ku tseketsa komo.
—— **of a gate or entrance,** *n.* Mpikizo, mipikizo.
Barb of arrow, *n.* Sakadzi, zinsakadzi.
Barbarian, *n.* Mbaribari, abaribari.
Barbarity, *n.* Ubaribari.
Barbarous, *a. -A*baribari.
Bare, *a. Naked, uncovered, -A*mariseke; *-a*marisetshe. *To go naked,* Ku enda *-a*mariseke. *A bare piece of ground,* Ntaka yatshabe.
Barely, *adv. Nakedly,* Kwamariseke.
Bareness, *n. Nakedness,* Mariseke; kumariseke.
—— *Want,* Kusauka; usautshi; kusoa.
Bargain, *n.* Kupangana.
—— *v. t.* Ku pangana.

Bark, To strip trees of their, *v. t.* Ku kaula.
—— *v. i. As a dog,* Ku ua.
—— **of a tree,** *n.* Kungwa, (la) makungwa.
Barking, *n. As of a dog,* Kuua.
Barley, *n.* Barle.
Barm, *n. Leaven, yeast,* Fumba, zifumba.
—— *While on beer,* Povu, (la) mapovu.
Barn, *n. A store for corn made of basket-work or wattles,* Nkokwe, zinkokwe.
Barrel, *n. A cask,* Ng'oma, zing'oma.
—— **of meat.** Ng'oma ya nyama.
—— **or drum of oil,** Ng'oma ya mafuta.
Barren, *v. i. To be barren,* Kusabala.
—— *a. As a tree, or barren land,* -*O*sabala.
—— *As a country,* -*O*litsala.
Barren woman, *n.* Tshimbwira, dzimbwira.
Barrenness, *n. Want of the power of procreation,* Utshimbwira.
Barricade, *n.* Panda, mipanda.
Barter, *v. t. To exchange commodities,* Ku gulana; ku sintana maronda; ku gulitsa.
—— *n. Exchange,* Maronda.
Base, *a. Low, mean,* -*O*ipa;
—— *Worthless,* -otaia.
Base-born, *a. Illegitimate in birth,* -*O*dziwika.
Baseness, *n.* Kuipa; kutaiika.
Bashful, *a.* -*A*manyazi; -odzinga (*continent*).
Bashfully, *adv.* Kwamanyazi.
Bashfulness, *n.* Manyazi.
Basin, *n.* Mbale, zimbale.
Bask in the sun, *v. i.* Ku otera.
Basket, *n. A small shallow basket used for porridge or grain,* Nsengwa, zinsengwa.
—— *A milk or beer basket used as drinking cup,* Tshiko, ziko.
Basket, *n. A large deep basket for carrying corn in harvesting,* Mtanga *and* ntanga; mitanga.
—— *Wide, shallow basket, used for sifting grain,* Litshero, (la) malitshero.
—— *Very large basket for storing corn, usually plastered with clay,* Nkokwe, zinkokwe.
—— *A basket with cover, and carved bands round the middle,* Ntungu, mitungu.
Bastard, *n.* Mwana wa ntengo, ana a ntengo.
Bat, *n. For cricket,* Ntiyapulo, mitiyapulo.
—— *An animal,* Nleme, mileme.
Bath, *n. A place for bathing,* Mosambira.
Bathe the person, *v. i.* Ku samba.
—— *v. t. To soften or soothe, as a swelling, by the application of water,* Ku sambitsa; ku tera madzi.
Batter, *v. t. To beat down, as a door,* Ku gwedula.
—— *As a roof of a house,* Ku pasula.
—— *As a brick wall,* Ku gumula.
—— *n. A mixture of flour and water,* Pala, (la) mapala.
Battle, *n.* Kumenyana.
Bawl, *v. i.* Ku pfula.
Bawling, *n.* Kupfula; kulongolola.
Bay, *v. i. To bark as a dog,* Ku ua.
—— *n. An arm of the sea,* Bondo, (la) maondo.
Bayonet, *n.* Mpeni wa mfuti, mipeni ya mfuti.
Be, *sub. verb.* Ku li. *When* l *follows* i, *the* l *invariably becomes* r *in this verb. He is here,* Ali pano; *but, I am here,* Diri pano. Ku li *is irregular and defective. The parts wanting are supplied by* ku kala, *to be, or become, which has more of the idea of continuance than the simple* ku li.

Be, *sub. verb. To be present,* Ku lipo.
—— *To be absent,* Ku libe.
—— *To be in the house,* Ku li m' nyumba.
Beach, *n.* Doko, (la) madoko.
Bead, *n. General term,* Nkanda, mikanda.
—— *Red, with white eyes, cornelian,* Tshitaraka, dzitaraka.
Beak of a bird, *n. Sing.* Mlomo, *a mandible,* milomo.
Beaker, *n. A tin drinking-cup,* Tshiko, ziko.
Beam of a house, *n.* Ntanda, mitanda.
—— **Sun,** Mbaliwali, zimbaliwali.
Bean, Dahl, *n.* Nyemba, zinyemba.
—— **Underground,** Nzama, zinzama.
—— **Small red,** Kobwe, zikobwe.
Bear, *v. t. To bring forth young,* Ku bala.
—— *To carry,* Ku nyamula.
—— *To bear with,* Ku lekereza.
—— *v. i. To endure,* Ku mva; ku mvabe.
—— *To bear false witness to,* Ku sinjirira.
—— *To bear fruit,* Ku bala tshobala, *plu.* Dzobala.
—— *n.* Bera, (la) mabera.
Beard, *n.* Ndevu *and* ndebvu, zindebvu.
Bearer, *n.* Wonyamula, onyamula.
Bearing, *n. Gesture, mien, behaviour,* Makalidwe.
—— *By compass,* Kundu, (la) makundu. *What is its bearing?* Kundu latshi liri kuti?
Beast of prey, *n.* Tshirombo, zirombo.
—— *Wild, herbivorous,* Nyama, zinyama.
Beastly, *adv.* Konyansa.
Beat, *v. t. To punish,* Ku menya.
—— **with stripes.** *To flog or scourge,* Ku kwapula.
—— *To conquer, to overcome,* Ku pambana.
Beat, *v. i. As the heart or pulse,* Ku puma; ku menya.
—— *v. t. To beat the ground with sticks in performing incantations before a native doctor,* Ku menya; ku menya pansi; ku ombeza ula.
—— *To beat or bruise anything by striking with a hammer,* Ku koma; ku komera.
—— *To buffet,* Ku bafamula.
Beatify, *v. t.* Ku dalitsa.
Beatitude, *n.* Kudala; dalo, madalo.
Beautiful in person, *a.* -Okongola.
Beauty, *n.* Kukongola.
Became, *v. See* **Become.** -Nakala.
Because, *conj.* Tshifuka; tshifuka kuti.
—— *Cause as reason,* Tshifukwa, zifukwa.
Beck, *v. i. To make a sign with the head,* Ku kodola.
Beckon, *v. i. To make a sign to another,* Ku kodola.
Becloud, *v. t. As the heavens,* Ku da; ku detsa.
Become, *v. i. To enter into some state or condition,* Ku kala; ku kula. *He became a bad man,* Anakala muntu woipa. *He became a rich person,* Anakala muntu wolemera. *That man became great,* Muntu amene anakula.
—— *v. t. To befit, to be proper to,* Ku kalitsa. *It becometh, or, it is becoming, or, it is befitting,* Kuli bwino.
Becomingly, *adv.* Kokalitsa.
Bed, *n. An article of furniture to lie on,* Mpasa, zimpasa.
—— *The place where an animal or person is in the habit of sleeping, or where the bed is laid,* Malo; malo ogona.
—— *Mattress,* Nsanjo, misanjo.
—— **of plants,** Tandala, matandala.
Bedash, *v. t.* Ku tsira.

Bedaub, *v. t.* Ku kwakwatiza.
Bedclothes, *n.* Nsaru za mpasa.
Bedeck, *v. t.* *To adorn,* Ku konza ; ku konzetsa.
Bedroom, *n.* Tshipinda tsha kugona.
Bedstead, *n.* Kama, akama.
Bee, *n.* Njutshi, zinjutshi.
Beef, *n.* Nyama ya ng'ombe.
Beelzebub, *n.* Belzebule.
Beer, *n.* Moa.
Beer-strainer, *n.* Kape, akape.
Beetle, *n.* *Scavenger,* Kumburu, akumburu.
—— **which bores wood,** Nang'kafumbwi, anang'kafumbwi.
Befall, *v. t.* *To happen to,* Ku li ; ku fika. *An accident has befallen him,* Mpingu unafika pa ie.
Befit, *v. t.* Ku li bwino ; ku kalitsa.
Befitting, *a.* *-A*bwino.
Befittingly, *adv.* Kwabwino.
Befool, *v. t.* Ku pusitsa.
Before, *prep. and adv.* Patsogolo. *Go before,* Enda patsogolo. *Walk before me,* Enda patsogolo pa ine.
Beforehand, *adv.* Kotshenjera ; patsogolo ; kali.
Befoul, *v. t.* Ku detsa. *You befoul the river,* Udetsa ntsinje.
Befriend, *v. t.* Ku tandizira.
Beg, *v. t.* *To ask alms,* Ku pempa.
—— *To ask a present,* Ku pempa tshaulere.
—— *To ask for help,* Ku pempa ku tangatidwa.
Beget, *v. t.* Ku bala.
—— *impregnate,* Ku balisa.
Begetter, n. Wobala, obala.
Beggar, *n.* Wopempa, opempa ; wakupempa, akupempa.
Beggarly, *adv. and a.* Kosauka, -osauka.
Begin, *v. t.* Ku amba. *This verb takes often* y *and* i *as euphonic letters before* a.
Beginner, *n.* Woiamba, oiamba.
Beginning, *n.* Kuiamba.
Begird, *v. i.* *To tie with a band,* Ku manga ; ku mangira.
—— *v. t.* *To bind up the loins,* Ku mangitsa.
—— *For oneself,* Ku dzimangitsa.
Begone! *interj.* *To depart,* Tshoka ! tshokatu.
Beguile, *v. t.* *Cheat,* Ku nyenga.
Begun, *p.p.* *-A*mbidwa. *The war is already begun,* Nkondo inaambidwa kali. *They have begun to run away,* Anaamba ku tawa.
Behalf, *prep.* Kwa. *On our behalf,* Kwa ife.
Behave oneself, *v. i.* Ku dzitangata.
Behaviour, *n.* *A course of life or conduct,* Kudzitangata ; makalidwe.
Behead, *v. t.* Ku dula mutu.
Behest, *n.* *Command,* Mau ; kuuza, mauzo.
—— *Precept,* Mau.
—— *Mandate,* Kuuza, mauzo.
Behind, *adv.* *In place or position,* Pambuiu *and* Kumbuiu. *Behind the house,* Pambuiu nyumba *and* Pambuiu pa nyumba.
—— *adv.* *In time,* Pambuiu.
—— *v. i.* *To remain behind,* Ku kala *and* ku tsala pambuiu.
Behold, *v. i.* Ku ona ; ku yang'anira.
—— *Lo! see!* Ona ! onatu ! *and plu.* Onani ! *Behold! He cometh with clouds,* Ona, adza ndi mitambo.
Behoved, It, *v.* Kunali ; kufunidwa.
Being, *n.* *That which is essential to a particular state or condition of being—made in the abstract form* (*equivalent to* hood), Ubuntu ; unyama.
—— *v. i.* *To be, pres. part., generally,* Ali ; *rarely,* kuli.
Belabour, *v. t.* *To beat soundly,* Ku menya kwambiri ; ku kwapula.

Belch, *v. i.* Ku gea.
Belie, *v. t.* *To speak falsely,* Ku namiza.
Belief, *n.* Mvanu. *That is my belief,* Umene uli mvanu wanga.
Believe, *v. i.* Ku mvana. *Sometimes* ku mvera *is used.*
Believer, *n.* Wamvanu, amvanu.
Believingly, *adv.* Kwamvanu.
Bell, *n.* Muliu, miliu.
Bellow, *v. i.* *As an animal,* Ku gamba.
—— *As a calf, or a child in a rage,* Ku gamba.
Bellows, *n.* Mvukuto, zimvukuto; tumba la mvukuto.
Belly, *n.* Mimba, zimimba.
Belong, *v. i.* *To be the property of,* Ku li kwa.
—— **to.** *As a person to a tribe,* Ku gawana.
Beloved, *n.* Wokondedwa, okondedwa. *Beloved (Son),* Wondikonda.
—— *a.* -*O*kondedwa.
Below, *adv. and prep.* *In position,* Pansi; pansi pa; pansipo. *Below the house,* Pansi pa nyumba.
Belt, *n.* *A thong,* Lamba, (la) malamba. *Of the loins,* Lamba, (la) malamba; mpango, mipango. *Leathern belt,* Lamba la tshikopa.
Bemoan, *v. t.* *To bewail,* Ku lira.
Bend, *v. t.* Ku tifula.
—— *To fold,* Ku pinda.
—— *To make crooked,* Ku tesa; ku tetsa.
——*v. i.* *By weakness or hunger,* Ku kofoka.
—— *At work,* Ku polama.
—— *or* **bow the head or body.** Ku werama.
Bendable, *a.* *Pliable,* -*O*loa.
Beneath, *prep. and adv.* Pansi; pansi pa. *Beneath the stone,* Pansi pa mwala.
Benediction, *n.* Kulezamau (?)
Benefaction, *n.* Ntshito yabwino.
Benefactor, *n.* Wotshitabwino, otshitabwino.
Beneficence, *n.* Ulere, (wa) maulere.
Beneficent, *a.* -*A*ulere; -okoma ntima.
Benefit, *n.* Pindulizo, (la) mapindulizo.
—— *Grace,* Kuanja.
—— *v. t.* Ku pindulitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku pindula.
Benevolence, *n.* Kukoma.
Benevolent, *a.* Wabwino ntima; -okoma ntima. *A benevolent person,* Muntu wokoma ntima.
Benight, *v. i.* *To be benighted,* Ku gwidwa ndi ndima. *We were benighted on the mountains,* Tinagwidwa ndi ndima pa mapiri.
Benumbed, *v. i.* *As by extreme cold,* Ku gwa dzanzi.
Bequeath, *v. t.* Ku siira.
Bereave, *v. t.* Ku tshotsa.
Bereaved, To be, *v. i.* Ku tshotsedwa.
Berry, *n.* Bare.
—— *Gooseberry,* Gusbare.
Beryl, *n.* Berilo.
Beseech, *v. t.* Ku pempa; ku pempera; ku funsa.
Beseem, *v. t.* Ku enedwa.
Beset, *v. t.* *Surround,* Ku kutikiza; ku zerenga.
Beside, *prep.* Pafupi. *I stood beside him,* Dinaima pafupi ndi ie. *Beside the house,* Pafupi ndi nyumba.
—— *In addition to,* -*A*nso.
—— *v. i.* *To be beside oneself,* Ku misala.
Besides, *adv.* *Over and above,* Kopambana. *I add this besides what I have already given,* Dion'khetsa kumene kopambana konse komwe dapatsa kali.
Besiege, *v. t.* Ku zinga (mudzi, *village.*) *They are besieged on every side,* Azingidwa pa makundu onse.
Besmear, *v. t.* Ku detsa.

Besom, *n.* *A brush, usually of twigs or palm leaves,* Satshe, (la) masatshe.
Besot, *v. t.* Ku ledzeretsa.
Bespatter, *v. t.* Ku tsira.
Best, *a.* -*A*bwino -*o*pambana -onse.
Bestow, *v. t.* Ku patsa; ku ning'ka.
Bestride, *v. t.* Ku tagalala *and* ku tangalala.
Bethink, *v. i.* Ku kumbukila.
Betide, *v. i.* Ku gwa kwa.
Betray, *v. t.* Ku zonda; ku nyenga.
Betrayer, *n.* Nzondi, zinzondi.
Betroth, *v. t.* Ku pala.
Betrothed, *a.* -*O*palidwa.
Better, *a.* -*A*bwino -*o*pambana; -okoma *is sometimes used of the better of two things in sight.*
Between, *prep.* Pakati; pakati pa; m'kati *and* mukati.
Bewail, *v. t.* *To bemoan,* Ku lirira.
—— *To howl for the dead, mourn,* Ku lira.
Beware, *v. t.* *To be circumspect,* Ku tshenjera.
—— *v. i.* *Have sense or be taught,* Ku kwanuka.
—— ! *interj.* Tshenjera! tshenjerani!
Bewilder, *v. t.* *To puzzle,* Ku sakatizitsa.
—— *To confuse,* Ku sokaniza.
Bewitch, *v. t.* *By witchery, so as to cause a person to die, as applied to the cause of bodily injury, to poison,* Ku rodza *and* lodza.
Bewitcher, *n.* Wolodza, olodza.
Bewitchery, *n.* Kulodza.
Bewray, *v. t.* Ku sonyeza.
Beyond, *prep.* Kutsidia; kutseri; patsidia.
Bias, *n.* *Prejudice, malice,* Dano, (la) madano.
Bible, *n.* *The word of God,* Baibel; Mau a Mulungu. *The Holy Scriptures,* Malemba oyera.
Bicker, *v. t.* *To contend about trifles,* Ku pokosa.
Bid, *v. t.* *To command,* Ku uza.
—— *To order, or cause to punish,* Ku langiza.
—— *To a feast or entertainment,* Ku itana.
Bier, *n.* Tshitanda, dzitanda.
Big, *a.* *Large, bulky,* -Kuru. *A big man,* Muntu wang'kuru.
Bigness, *n.* *Bulk, size,* Ukuru.
Bile, *n.* Nyongo, zinyongo.
Billow, *n.* *A large wave,* Funde, (la) mafunde; tumbiri, (la) matumbiri.
Bin, *n.* Nkokwe, zinkokwe.
Bind, *v. t.* Ku manga.
Bird, *n.* Mbalame, zimbalame.
—— *Small, with red breast,* Mpwiti.
Bird-lime, *n.* *Made by natives from juice of leaves and fruit of certain trees mixed together,* Ulimbo, (wa) maulimbo.
Bird's-nest, *n.* Tshisa, dzisa.
Birth, *n.* Kubadwa. *The birth of a child,* Kubadwa kwa mwana.
Birth-day, *n.* Dzua lobadwa.
Birth-right, *n.* Kwatshi kwa kubadwa.
Bit, *n.* *The iron part of a bridle,* Nkolumbidzo, mikolumbidzo.
—— *A morsel, a crumb,* Nyenyeswa, zinyenyeswa.
—— *A mouthful,* Ntongo, zintongo.
Bitch, *n.* Garu wankazi.
Bite, *v. t.* Ku luma.
—— *n.* Kuluma.
Bitter, *a.* -*O*awa.
—— **cold.** -*O*zizirazizira.
—— *A bitter thing,* Tshintu tshoawa.
Bitterly, *adv.* *Intensely,* Kwambiri.
Bitterness, *n.* Kuawa.
—— **of heart.** Kupsa ntima.
Bivouac, *v. i.* *To be on watch at night,* Ku dikira.
—— *To sleep outside,* Ku gona kunja.

Blab, *v. t.* *To tell secrets,* Ku tsiruka.
Black, *a.* -*O*da; -*a*kuda. *Black cattle,* Ng'ombe zakuda. *The heavens are black,* Mwamba uli wakuda *and* Miambi iri yeikuda.
Blacken, *v. t.* Ku detsa.
Blackguard, *n.* Wonamiza, onamiza; wodetsetsa, odetsetsa.
—— *v. t.* Ku namiza; ku detsetsa.
Blackish, *a.* *Not thoroughly black,* -*O*sadetsa.
Blacksmith, *n.* Msulira; wosulira, osulira; msuzi, asuzi.
Bladder, *n.* Tshikodzero, zikodzero; tshikodzezi, zikodzezi.
Blade, *n.* *Sprout,* Mmera, mimera.
—— *First small blade of cereal,* Kwata, makwata.
—— *Leaf,* Samba, (la) masamba.
Blain, *n.* *Sore,* Tshirondo, zirondo.
Blame, *v. t.* *To accuse,* Ku tshula; ku tshimikiza; ku tshimika.
—— *n.* Kutshula.
Blameless, *a.* -*O*panda tshula.
Blanket, *n.* Tshopfunda, zopfunda; tshopfundira, zopfundira.
Blaspheme, *v. t.* Ku tukwana Mulungu; *sometimes the word* Mulungu *is omitted.*
Blasphemer, *n.* Wotukwana, otukwana.
Blasphemous, *a.* -*O*tukwana.
Blasphemously, *adv.* Kotukwana.
Blast, *v. t.* *By wind, by the sun, or by the action of fire,* Ku otsha.
Blaze, *v. i.* Ku psa.
Bleach, *v. t.* Ku yeretsa.
Bleed, *v. t.* *By opening temporal artery or branch,* Ku dula nsempa; ku turutsa mwazi.
—— *By cupping,* Ku lumika mwazi; ku turutsa mwazi *and* ku dzaka (?) mwazi.
Blemish, *n.* *Spot,* Banga, (la) mabanga, *and* maanga.
—— *In quality,* Tshirama, zirama.
Blend, *v. t.* Ku sang'kaniza.
Bless, *v. t.* Ku dalitsa.
Blessed, *a.* -*O*dala. *Blessed are the meek,* Odala ali oanja.
Blessing, *n.* Kudala; dalo, madalo.
Blight, *v. t.* Ku kofoka.
—— *By the sun,* Ku nyala.
Blind, *a.* -*A*kungu.
—— *By an injury,* -*O*sweka maso.
—— *n.* *A blind person,* Wakungu, akungu.
—— *v. t.* *Deprive of sight,* Ku seketsa maso.
Blindly, *adv.* Kwakungu.
Blindness, *n.* Kungu.
Blink, *v. i.* Ku twanima.
Bliss, *n.* Kudalitsa; kudalitsidwa.
Blister, *v. t.* *By medicine,* Ku tupitsa.
—— *By travelling,* Ku unga.
—— *n.* *By medicine or fire,* Tuza, (la) matuza.
—— *By walking,* Fundo, (la) mafundo.
Blithe, *a.* *Joyous, gay,* -*A*tshipwete.
Blithesome, *adv.* Kosekera.
Block, *v. t.* *To block up,* Ku tseka.
—— **of wood,** *n.* Nkung'ku, mikung'ku. *If large it is made* Tshikung'ku, dzikung'ku.
Blockhead, *n.* Wopulukira, opulukira.
Blood, *n.* *Liquid blood,* Mwazi, miazi.
—— *n.* *Clotted blood,* Mlopa.
—— *Clots of blood,* Ntindirima, zintindirima.
Blossom, *n.* Lua, (la) malua.
—— *v. i.* Ku puka (malua).
Blot, *v. t.* *To obliterate,* Ku fafaniza.
—— *To stain,* Ku ipitsa.
—— *To use blotting paper,* Ku umitsa.
—— *n.* *A blot or stain (as of ink),* Donto, madonto; kuipitsa.
Blotch, *n.* Kalama, (la) malama.
Blow, *v. i.* *As the wind,* Ku omba, ku ombera.

Blow, *v. i. To breathe hard, to pant for breath,* Ku puma nkweza.
—— *v. t. To blow the fire,* Ku pemba.
—— *To blow a forge fire,* Ku fukuta moto.
—— *To blow gently with the mouth, as to blow dust away,* Ku uzira.
—— *To blow away,* Ku pepera.
Bludgeon, *n. A short thick stick,* Ndodo, zindodo.
—— **large.** Ndodo ; nkung'ku, mikung'ku.
Blue, *a.* -*A*kuda ; -oda.
Blunder, *n.* Tshimo, (la) matshimo.
—— *v. i.* Ku tshimwa.
Blunderer, *n.* Wotshimwa, otshimwa.
Blunt, *a. Not sharp,* -*O*pwinikwa ; -osatwa.
—— *v. t. To dull the edge of an instrument,* Ku pwiniza.
Bluntly, *adv.* Kopwinikwa.
Bluntness, *n.* Kupwinikwa.
Blush, *v. i.* Ku tembenuka nkope ; ku tshita manyazi.
Bluster, *v. i.* Ku balawaza.
—— *n.* Kubalawaza.
Boa-constrictor, *n.* Satu, zinsatu.
Boar, *n. Warthog,* Nguruwe.
—— *Wild boar of the open country,* Njiri, anjiri.
Board, *n.* Tabwa, (la) matabwa.
Boast, *v. i.* Ku dzitama, *lit., to praise oneself.*
—— *To boast of another person,* Ku siimba.
—— *To act in a boastful and haughty manner,* Ku tshita kodzitama.
Boastful, *a.* -*O*dzisamalira ; -*O*dzitama.
Boat, *n. Little ship,* Katshombo.
—— *English,* Bote, (la) mabote.
Body, *n. Human body,* tupi, (la) matupi.
—— *Dead body,* Ntembo, mitembo.
—— **of a tree,** Kogola, (la) makogola.
Bog, *n. A marsh, plain,* Dambo, (la) madambo.
—— *Boggy unsound ground,* Tshitengetenge, zitengetenge.
Boil, *v. t.* Ku wiritsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku wira. *The water boils,* madzi awira.
—— *Cook,* Ku pika.
—— *n. A sore, swelling,* Tupa, matupa ; mfundo, fundo, *and* pfundo, (la) mapfundo.
Boisterous, *a.* -*O*limbika.
Bold, *a.* -*O*limbika ntima.
—— *A bold person in battle,* muntu wolimbika ntima.
—— *Bold to rashness, one without any fear, or due consideration,* -*O*dzedzeduka.
—— *Rude, impudent,* -*A*punzo.
Boldly, *adv.* Kolimbika ntima.
Boldness, *n. In battle,* Kulimbika ntima.
Bolt, *v. t. As a door,* Ku pikiza.
—— *n. Of a door or gate,* mpikizo, mipikizo.
Bond, *n. An obligation,* kupangana.
—— *A tie,* Tshomanga, zomanga ; tshomangira, zomangira ; tshimanga, zimanga.
—— *Chain,* Unyolo, (wa) maunyolo.
Bondage, *n. Slavery,* Ukapolo ; umpawi.
Bondmaid, *n.* } Nzakazi adza-
Bondwoman, *n.* } kazi.
Bondman, *n.* Kapolo, akapolo.
Bone, *n.* Fupa, (la) mafupa.
Bonnet, *n.* Tshisoti, dzisoti ; topi, atopi.
Booby, *n.* Tshoopsera, dzoopsera.
Book, *n.* Buku, (la) mabuku.
Boon, *n.* Tshokwanira, zokwanira.
Boot, *n.* Nsapato, zinsapato.
Booth, *n.* Msasa, misasa.
Booty, *n.* Zankondo.
Bopeep, *n.* Kwina ndi kwina.
Border, *n. Hem,* Mtsheu *and* ntsheu, mitsheu.

Border, *n.* *Of cloth or a garment,* Mtsheu *and* ntsheu, mitsheu.
—— *Of a country,* Mraga, miraga.
Bore, *v. t.* *To bore, as with an awl,* Ku bola; ku pola; ku fula.
—— *To bore the ear for earrings,* Ku bola *and* ku pola kutu.
—— *As a beetle in wood,* Ku fula.
Born, *a.* *Brought forth,* -*O*badwa. *The child is born,* mwana wabadwa.
Borne, to be, *v. i.* Ku nyamulidwa.
Borrow, *v. t.* Ku bwereka.
Bosom, *n.* *The chest,* Tshifua, dzifua.
—— *The breast,* Bere, (la) mabere.
Both, *adv. and conj.* Ndi; awiri; onse.
Bother, *v. t.* Ku bvuta; ku sautsa.
Bottle, *n.* Barasuku, abarasuku.
—— *A small calabash used for holding oil—hence a phial,* Nsupa, zinsupa.
—— *v. t.* *To pour into a bottle,* Ku tsanulira.
Bottom, *n.* Tako, (la) matako.
—— *Bottom of basket,* tako la nsengwa.
Bough, *n.* *A growing branch,* Ntambi, zintambi.
—— *A branch severed from the tree,* Ntambi youma.
Bought, *p.p.* *Purchased,* -*O*gulidwa. *The house is bought,* Nyumba igulidwa.
Bounce, *v. t.* *To spring, to leap,* Ku lumpa.
Bound, *v. i.* *To leap over, to leap into the air,* Ku lumpa.
—— **away,** *as a dog,* Ku tamanga.
—— *To limit by a boundary,* Ku lemba liri, *and plu.* maliri.
—— *v. t.* *To bound or hinder progress,* Ku letsa.
—— *p.p. of bind,* -*O*mangidwa.
Boundary, *n.* (Liri, *sing.*, *not used*), maliri.
Boundary, *n.* *Of a garden towards the unbroken bush,* Pepetere, *plu.* Pepetere za munda.
Bounds, *n.* *Limits,* Maliri.
Bounteous, } *a.* -*A*ulere.
Bountiful, }
Bountifully, *adv.* *Liberally,* Kwalere; kotshurukitsa. *He that soweth bountifully shall reap bountifully,* Iemwe afesa kotshurukitsa adzatema anso kotshurukitsa.
Bounty, *n.* Ntulo, mitulo; kuanja.
—— *liberality,* Kupatsa.
Bow, *v. t.* *To cause to bow or bend,* Ku pinda.
—— *v. i.* *To bow the person,* Ku gwadama; ku werama.
—— *To bow the head, as in assent,* Ku gudama.
—— *To bow the knee, as in worship,* Ku gwada.
—— *n.* *For shooting arrows,* Uta, (wa) mauta.
—— *n.* *Of a boat,* Nso, minso; palikuru.
Bowels, *n.* Tumbo, (la) matumbo.
—— *The vessels and organs within the abdomen collectively,* Matumbo.
Bowl, *n.* Mbale, zimbale; mbizi, zimbizi.
Box, *n.* Bokosi, (la) mabokosi.
—— *v. t.* Ku bafamula.
—— *To strike,* Ku menya.
—— *To buffet, bruise,* Ku tundudza; ku bwandula.
Boy, *n.* Nyamata, anyamata; nzombwe, azombwe.
Boyhood, *n.* Unyamata.
Bracelet, *n.* Koza, (la) makoza.
Brackish, *a.* -*O*lungudza. *Brackish water,* Madzi olungudza.
Brag, *v. i.* *To boast,* Ku dzitama.
Braggart, *n.* Wodzitama, odzitama.
Braid, *v. t.* Ku luka.
—— **of hair,** *n.* Tsisi loluka.
Brain, *n.* Wongo, (wa) mawongo.
—— *Intellect,* Muwongo, mauongo.

Bramble, *n.* Ntungwi, mitungwi.
Bran, *n.* Dea, (wa) madea.
Branch, *n.* *Large,* Ntambi, zintambi.
—— *Small,* Ntawi, mitawi.
Brand, *v. t.* *To burn a mark on cattle, or to sear,* Ku otsha.
—— *A burning stick,* Tshikuni tsha moto.
—— *A bundle of grass on fire,* Nsongo ya moto.
Brandy, *n.* Katshasu.
Brass, *n.* Nkua, mikua.
—— *Brass wire* (*large*), Nkua, mikua *generally used.*
—— *Brass wire* (*small*), Nsambo ya nkua.
Bravado, *n.* Kubalawaza.
Brave, *a.* -*O*limba; -*O*limba ntima. *A brave man,* Muntu wopanda manta; muntu wolimba ntima; muntu wopirira.
—— *v. i.* *To be,* Ku pira.
Brawl, *v. i.* Ku pokosa.
—— *n.* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso.
Brawler, *n.* Wolongolola, olongolola.
Bray, *v. i.* *As an ass,* Ku lira.
Breach, *n.* *A break or gap in a wall or fortification,* Tshiterera, dziterera.
Bread, *n.* Nkate, mikate.
Breadth, *n.* Bwambi, (la) mabwambi.
—— Kupingasa, makupingaso.
—— *Inside measurement of,* Mulifupi.
Break, *v. t.* *To break in pieces, as a vessel,* Ku swa.
—— *To break in two, as a stick or bone,* Ku tshoka; ku tshola.
—— *To split up, as wood,* Ku ng'amba.
—— *To break a thong, strap, cord, or piece of iron,* Ku dutsa.
—— *To break through, as through a wall or fence, as a robber,* Ku bola.
—— *To break a law or commandment,* Ku swa; ku taia.
Break, *v. t.* *To break up new ground,* Ku lima munda.
—— *To break bread,* Ku swa nkate.
—— *To break loose,* Ku masula.
—— *v. i.* *As a vessel,* Ku swa; ku sweka. *The pot is broken,* Mpika usweka.
—— *As a handle,* Ku kunyoka.
—— *To break or split, as a rock,* Ku banduka.
—— *To break, as a thong or cord,* Ku duka. *The cord is broken,* Tshingwe tshiduka.
—— *To break out, as an eruption on body,* Ku buka; ku bukitsa.
—— *To break, as a gathering on the body,* Ku turuka. *The boil has broken,* Mfundo waturuka.
—— *To break forth, cry aloud,* Ku pfula.
—— *To break, as the morning,* Ku tsha. *The morning has broken,* Banda kwatsha.
—— *To break or clear up, as the weather,* Ku kang'ganutsa.
—— *To break up, as clouds,* Ku kang'ganuka.
—— *To break in or train a horse,* Ku zolowera; ku zoloweretsa.
Breakfast, *n.* Nsusulo.
—— **To take,** Ku susula.
Breast, *n.* *The chest,* Tshifua, dzifua.
—— *Mamma,* Bere, (la) mabere.
Breast-bone, *n.* Tshikangalima, dzikangalima.
Breast-plate, *n.* Tshotshinjirizo, zotshinjirizo.
Breath, *n.* Pwea, (la) mapwea.
Breathe, *v. i.* Ku puma.
—— *To pant or be out of breath by running,* Ku puma nkweza. *I am out of breath,* Dipuma nkweza.
Breed, *v. t.* *To procreate, to give birth to,* Ku bala.
—— **of animals,** Ku swa, *from the breaking of the umbilical cord; also* ku swana.

Breed, *v. t. To bring up, as children,* Ku lera.
—— *n. Kind of, or race of, animals,* Mtundu, mitundu.
Breeze, *n.* Mpepo, zimpepo.
—— *A gentle breeze,* Mpepo yabwino ; mpepo yeing'ono.
Brethren, *n.* Abali. *You and your brethren,* Iwe ndi abali ako.
Brevity, *n.* Kufupa.
Brew, *v. t.* Ku fulula ; ku pika moa.
Bribe, *n.* Tshinjirizo, (la) matshinjirizo.
—— *v. t.* Ku tshinjiriza.
Brick, *n.* Brike, (la) mabrike.
Bricklayer, *n.* Womangamabrike.
Bride, *n.* Tshikwati, atshikwati *and* akwati.
Bridegroom, *n.* Wokwati, okwati.
Bridge, *n.* Ntanto, mitanto.
Bridle, *n.* Kwerekwere, makwerekwere.
—— *v. t.* Ku kola.
Brief, *a.* -*O*fupa.
Briefly, *adv.* Kofupa.
Briefness, *n.* Kufupa.
Brier, *n.* Ntengo wa minga ; tshifutu tsha minga.
Bright, *a.* -*O*wala ; (*white*), -*O*yera.
Brighten, *v. t. Of metals,* Ku walitsa.
——*v. i. Of sun or metals,* Ku wala.
Brightly, *adv. Shining,* Kowala.
—— *Whiteness,* Koyera.
Brightness, *n. Of sunlight,* Ku wala.
—— *Of whiteness,* Kuyera.
Brilliant, *a.* -*O*ng'azimira.
Brim, *n. The rim or edge of a vessel,* Mlomo, milomo ; pembi, (la) mapembi.
—— *Edge of a fountain where water overflows,* Tente, (la) matente.
Brimstone, *n.* Sulfure, zisulfure.
Bring, *v. t. To fetch,* Ku tenga.
—— *To bring near,* Ku andikitsa.
Bring, *v. t. To bring back,* Ku bweza ; ku bwezera.
—— *To bring, carry,* Ku nyamula.
—— *To bring forward,* Ku tsogoza ; ku turutsa.
—— *To bring up, to cherish,* Ku kulira ; ku eta ; ku lera.
Brink, *n. As of a river, or edge, as of a precipice,* Pepete, zimpepete.
Brisk, *a. Of a person,* -*A*tshangu. *A brisk, active person,* Muntu watshangu.
Briton, *n.* Mungelezi, Angelezi.
Brittle, *a. As a vessel,* -*O*salimba. *A brittle tree,* Ntengo wosalimba. *A brittle pot,* Mpika wosalimba.
Brittleness, *n.* Kusalimba.
Broad, *a.* -*A*bwambi.
Broadly, *adv.* Kwabwambi.
Broadness, *n.* Bwambi *and* mbambi, (la) mabwambi.
Broil, *v. t. To dress on coals,* Ku otsha.
—— *n. A tumult, an affray,* Pokoso, mapokoso ; ndeu, zindeu.
Brooch, *n. A jewel.*
Brood, *v. t.* Ku sukusitsa. *The hen is sitting, or brooding, on the eggs,* Nkuku yatadzi irikusukusitsa madzira.
——*v. i.* Ku fungumira.
——*n. Offspring, progeny* (*chickens*), Anapie ; ana.
Brook, *n.* Kantsinje timitsinje.
Broom, *n. To sweep with,* Tsatshe *and* nsatshe, (la) masatshe.
Broth, *n.* Susi ndi barle.
Brother, *n. An elder brother,* Njir-, *followed by contracted poss. pron.*
—— *A younger brother,* Mpwa-. *These words may mean brother or sister according to the sex of the speaker,*—brother, *if a man uses them* ; sister, *if a woman is the speaker.*
—— *My elder brother,* Njiranga.
—— *My younger brother,* Mpwanga.

Brother, *n.* *Your brother,* Mpwako, njirako, *or* mbali wako.
—— *An associate, as of a society or brotherhood,* Mbali, abali.
—— *A foster brother,* Woleredwa wa amai (anga) (*my*).
Brotherhood, *n.* Ubali.
Brotherly, *adv.* Kwabali.
Brow, *n.* *The forehead.* Mpumi, zimpumi.
—— *Eyebrow,* Tshikope tsha mwamba, dzikope dza mwamba.
—— *Eyelid,* Tshikope tsha pansi.
—— *Brow of a hill,* Mutu wa piri.
Brown, *a.* -*O*da; -*a*kuda.
Bruise, *n.* *A recent bruise,* Tundudzo, (la) matundudzo.
—— *v. t.* *To crush,* Ku ponda; ku pondereza.
—— *To bruise or injure a person,* Ku tundudza; ku tswanya; ku bwandula.
Bruised, *a.* -*O*tswanya.
Brush, *v. t.* *To brush up, or to brush off,* Ku sansa.
—— *n.* Nsatshe *and* tsatshe, (la) masatshe.
Brushwood, *n.* *Rough, shrubby thicket,* Mtengo.
Brutal, *a.* *Savage, cruel, inhuman conduct,* -*O*lusa.
—— *v. i.* *To be,* Ku lusa.
Brute, *n.* Nyama, zinyama; tshirombo, zirombo.
Brutish, *a.* *Stupid, without sense or reason,* -*A*utsedwe.
—— *v. i.* *To be brutish without reason,* Ku li ndi tshisedwe.
Bubble, *v. i.* Ku wira.
—— *As water when boiling,* Ku wira.
—— *n.* Pobvu, (la) mapobvu; tovu, (la) matovu.
Buck, *n.* *Wild buck, game,* Nyama, zinyama.
—— *n.* *Bush buck,* Mbawala, ambawala.
—— *Water buck,* Nakodzwe, ana kodzwe.
Bucket, *n.* Bekete, (la) mabekete.
Buckle, *v. t.* Ku koloweka.
Bud, *v. i.* *To put forth, as a plant,* Ku puka.
—— *To put forth buds, producing fruit or blossoms,* Ku puka; ku turuka dzobala.
—— *n.* *Of a plant,* Pundu, mapundu; mpundu, zimpundu.
Buffalo, *n.* Njati, anjati.
Buffet, *v. t.* *To strike with the hand,* Ku menya; *with the palm of the hand,* Ku kanta.
—— *To bruise,* Ku tundudza; ku bwandula.
Bug, *n.* Nsikizi, zinsikizi.
—— *Another kind whose bite causes sickness,* Kufu, zinkufu.
Bugle, *n.* Lipenga, (la) malipenga.
Build, *v. t.* Ku manga.
—— *To raise up,* Ku utsa.
Builder, *n.* Womanga, omanga.
Building, *n.* Kumanga, mamango; kumangidwa, mamangidwa.
Bull, *n.* Ng'ombe yampongwe; yampongo, zampongo.
Bull's eye, *n.* *Of a target, or point aimed at,* Lunga, (la) malunga.
Bullet, *n.* Tshipolopolo, dzipolopolo.
Bullock, *n.* Ng'ombe ya mfule, ng'ombe za mifule.
Bundle, *n.* Ntazi, mitazi.
—— *Of firewood or laths,* Ntazi wa kuni.
—— *Of grass,* Mtolo *and* ntolo, mitolo.
—— *A bundle of things in general,* Katundu, akatundu.
—— **up,** *v. t.* Ku manga mtolo.
Bung, *n.* Tshotsekera.
—— *v. t.* Ku tseka.
Burden, *n.* Katundu, akatundu; kulemera.
—— *v. t.* Ku patikiza.
—— *To burden the heart,* Ku sautsa; ku lemeretsa katundu.
Burdened, *v. t.* *To be burdened,* Ku lemedwa.

Burdensome, *a.* -Olemera *and* -olemerera.
Burglar, *n.* Mbala, zimbala; nkhungu, ankhungu.
Burial, *n.* Kuika m' mwanda.
Burn, *v. t.* *To consume,* Ku otsha. *Burn the grass,* Otsha maudzu.
—— *v. i.* *As a volcano,* Ku psa. *The house is burning,* Nyumba ipsa; nyumba irikuotsha.
—— Ku psa.
—— *As a lamp,* Ku aka.
Burnish, *v. t.* Ku ng'azimiza *or* ng'azimitsa; ku ng'azimiritsa.
Burnished, *a.* -Ong'azimira.
Burrow, *v. t.* Ku fula.
—— *n.* Una, (wa) mauna.
Burst, *v. t.* Ku swa.
—— **asunder.** Ku sweka.
—— *To burst or pierce through,* Ku bola.
—— *v. i.* *As from internal pressure, as a tube, or as a boil or tumour on the body,* Ku pulika.
—— *As a gun,* Ku ng'ambika.
Bury, *v. t.* Ku ika m' mwanda.
—— *To fill up a grave or pit,* Ku kwirira.
Bush, *n.* *A forest,* Mtengo; nkalango, zinkalango.
—— *A shrub,* Tshifutu, zifutu.
—— *Of sprouts from old tree stump,* Tunduluzi, (la) matunduluzi.
Bushman, *n.* Muntu wa mtengo.
Business, *n.* *General term,* Nsthito, zintshito.
—— *While engaged at it,* Murimo, mirimo.
Busy, *a.* -Atshangu.
Busybody, *n.* Tshitserekwete, zitserekwete.
But, *conj.* Koma.
Butcher, *v. t.* *To slaughter,* Ku pa; ku petsa.
—— *n.* Wopa, opa; wakupa nyama, akupa nyama.
Butt, *v. t.* *As a sheep,* Ku gwamula.
Butter, *n.* Mafuta a nkaka wa ng'ombe; botolo.
Butterfly, *n.* Peperu, (wa) mapeperu.
Buttock, *n.* *The upper part of the thigh,* Tako, (la) matako.
Button, *n.* *Flat,* Butao, (la) mabutao.
—— *Round,* Butao lozungulira.
—— *v. t.* *To button up,* Ku mangitsa.
Buy, *v. t.* Ku gula.
Buyer, *n.* Wogula, ogula.
By, *prep.* *Near to,* Pafupi.
—— *Alongside, near to,* Mbali.
—— *At,* Pa *and* ku.
—— *To be done by,* Ndi.
—— *adv.* *By birth,* Ndi kubadwa.
—— *By nature,* Ndi makalidwe.
—— *By day,* Msana.
—— *By night,* Usiku.
—— *One by one,* Modzi ndi modzi; kamodzi kamodzi.
By and by, *adv.* Dzua lina; ntawi ina; mkukalitsa.
By path, *n.* Bande, (la) mande.

C

C. As on the west side of Lake Nyasa, Kafir and Chinyanja speaking peoples are found dwelling beside each other, and in the already written language of the former, *c* is used to represent the dental click, while the English *ch* in *chair* is represented by *tsh;* it seems better, for the avoidance of confusion, as well as for phonetic reasons, to discard the use of *c* in writing Chinyanja words, and, as in Kafir, use *tsh* for the corresponding sound.
Cage, *n.* *For fowls,* Tshipwere, dzipwere.
—— *Big, or goathouse,* Tanga, (la) matanga.
Calabash, *n.* Tshiko, ziko.
Calamity, *n.* *Bad luck,* Tsoko.
—— *Accident,* Mpingu, zimpingu.

Calculate, *v. t. To compute,* Ku werenga.
Caldron, *n.* Nthalo, zinthalo.
Calf, *n. The young of a cow,* Mwana wa ng'ombe, ana a ng'ombe.
—— **of the leg,** Kasumbu, akasumbu.
Calico, *n.* Nsaru, zinsaru ; americano.
—— **Blue.** Tshinyong'onyo dzinyong'onyo.
—— *Strong, of thick thread,* Tshimbwi, dzimbwi.
Call, *v. t. To call to a person to come towards, or into the presence of the person calling, to beckon by voice,* Ku itana.
—— *To call together,* Ku itana ku song'kana.
—— *To acknowledge,* Ku tshula.
—— *To call Christ our Lord,* Ku tshula Kristu Mwini watu.
—— *To give a name to one,* Ku tsha.
—— *v. i.* Ku tshedwa.
—— *To invite, as to a feast or entertainment,* Ku itana.
—— *To call aloud,* Ku pfula.
—— *To call to account,* Ku itana ku werengera.
—— *To invite to enter,* Ku loeza.
—— *To call to mind,* Ku kumbutsa ; ku kumbukila.
—— *To be called in question, I am called in question,* Diri mfunso.
—— *To call in, imperative,* Loa, loani.
Calling, *n. Employment,* Nshito, zintshito.
—— *Invitation,* Kuitana.
Calm, *a.* -*A*bata ; -odika. *The sea is calm,* Nyanja iri yabata.
—— *n. Of lake,* Bata, (la) mabata.
—— *On land, no wind,* Kudika.
—— *v. i. To be calm,* Ku dika. *There was a great calm,* Kunali bata lalikuru.
Caloric, *n. The principle of heat,* Tshitungu, dzitungu.
Calumniate, *v. t.* Ku namiza ; ku namizira *and* namisira.
Calumniator, *n.* Wakumaniza, akumaniza ; womaniza, onamiza.
Calumny, *n.* Kunamiza.
Camel, *n.* Gamela.
Camp *and* **Camping-ground,** *n.* Tsasa *and* mtsasa, masasa.
—— *The persons forming the camp, the travelling party,* Olendo.
Can, *v. i. To be able to do anything,* Ku dziwa ; ku li ndi mpamvu.
Canal, *n.* Ntshera, mitshera ; nkaku, mikaku.
Cancel, *v. t.* Ku sokaniza.
Cancellation, *n.* Kusokaniza.
Candle, *n.* Nyali, zinyali ; kandele, (la) makandele.
Candlestick, *n.* Tshogwirira nyali, zogwirira nyali.
Cane, Sugar-, *n.* Nsimbe, zinsimbe.
Cankered, *a. Corroded,* -*O*dibwa.
Cannibal, *n.* Wakudia antu, akudia antu.
Cannon, *n.* Mzinga, mizinga.
Canoe, *n.* Bwato, (wa) mawato.
Canter, *v. i.* Ku tamanga.
Canvas, *n. Sailcloth,* Nsaru ya matanga.
Cap, *n.* Tshapea, dzapea ; topi, atopi.
Capital, *n.* Mzinda wa Fumu.
Capon, *n.* Tambala wofula ; mfule wa tambala.
Capsize, *v. t.* Ku gubuduza.
Captain, *n.* Kazembe, akazembe.
Captainship, *n.* Ukazembe.
Captive, *n. One taken in war,* Nkoli *and* koli, mikoli ; *also* kole, mikole.
—— *Slave,* Kapolo, akapolo.
Captivity, *n. Of war,* Ukoli.
—— *Slavery,* Umpawi.
Capture, *n.* Kugwira.
—— *v. t.* Ku gwira.
Caravan, *n.* Olendo.
Carbon, *n.* Kala, (la) makala.

Carbonade, *n.* *A string of meat roasted on the coals,* Nzongo, mizongo ; msese, misese.
Carcass, *n.* *Corpse,* Ntembo, mitembo.
Care, *n.* *Work,* Ntshito, zintshito.
—— *Anxious care, or trouble, anxiety,* Ganizo, (la) maganizo.
—— *Earnest care,* Kusunga kolimba.
—— *Heed or caution,* Kutshenjera.
—— *Charge or attention,* Kuyang'anira.
—— *v. i.* *To give heed to,* Ku samala.
—— *To care for,* Ku sungira.
—— *To look after,* Ku yang'anira.
Careful, *a.* -*O*sungira.
—— *Opposed to wasteful,* -*O*sasakaza.
—— *Sly,* -*O*tshenjera.
—— *Watchful,* -*O*yang'anira.
—— *Giving heed to,* -*O*samala.
Carefully, *adv.* Kosungira ; koyang'anira ; kotshenjera.
Careless, *a.* *A careless person,* Muntu wosasamala.
—— *Stupidly careless,* -*O*sasamala.
—— *Reckless, indolent, dishonest,* -*O*lesi, -*a*ukata (Atshewa).
Carelessly, *adv.* *Foolishly,* Kopusa.
—— *Indifferently,* Kosasamala ; kosayang'anira. *You act very carelessly,* Utshita kosasamala nditu.
Carelessness, *n.* Kusasamala.
—— *Disrespect,* Mwano.
Caress, *v. t.* *To embrace with affection,* Ku fungumira.
Cargo, *n.* Katundu, akatundu.
Carnal, *a.* -*A*nyama. *But I am carnal,* Koma diri wanyama.
Carnally, *adv.* Kwanyama.
—— *To lie carnally with,* Ku gonana ; ku gona pamodzi ; ku tshitana.
Carnivorous, *a.* -*A*kudia nyama.
Carp, *v. t.* Ku nyansa.
Carpenter, *n.* Misiri wa mtengo, amisiri a mtengo.
Carper, *n.* Waunyansi, aunyansi.
Carriage, *n.* Gareta, (la) magareta.
—— *Conduct, behaviour,* Makalidwe.
—— *Of goods,* Kunyamula.
Carrier, *n.* *One who conveys goods,* Wonyamula, onyamula ; wakatundu, akatundu.
Carrot, *n.* Karote, (la) makarote.
Carry, *v. t.* *To carry a burden,* Ku nyamula.
—— *To carry on the head, as a pot,* Ku nyamula pa mutu ; ku patikiza.
—— *To carry on the shoulder,* Ku nyumala pa puzi.
—— *To carry on the palm of the hand,* Ku nyumala m' manja *and* pa manja.
—— *To carry in the hand,* Ku nyamula m' dzanja.
—— *To carry a child on the back,* Ku bereka.
—— *To carry away,* Ku tshotsa.
—— *To carry or convey a thing across a river,* Ku yambutsa.
—— *To carry away, as by a stream of water,* Ku kwenkwenula.
—— *To carry away, to sweep away,* Ku kokola.
—— **out,** Ku turutsa.
—— **in,** Ku loetsa.
—— **between two,** Ku tanda.
—— *To carry up an incline,* Ku kweza.
—— *To carry down from a height,* Ku tsitsa.
—— *To carry from one place to another,* Ku tututsa.
Cart, *n.* Gareta, (la) magareta.
Carve, *v. t.* *To engrave,* Ku lemba ; ku tshekatsheka.
—— *To carve on wood,* Ku sema.
—— *To carve at table,* Ku dula.
Case, *n.* *Lawsuit,* Mrandu, mirandu.
—— *My case,* Kwa ine.
—— *Anything,* Kantu.

Cask, *n.* Ng'oma, zing'oma.
Cassava, *n.* Mbwani, zimbwani.
Cast, *v. t.* *To throw with the hand,* Ku ponya.
—— *To cast at, with intent to strike,* Ku ponya.
—— *To cast away as useless,* Ku taia *and* ku taya.
—— *To cast down to the ground,* Ku ponya pansi ; ku gwetsa *and* ku gweza.
—— *To be cast, as in a lawsuit,* Ku taia.
—— *To cast her young, as a cow,* Ku taia mwana.
—— *the skin, as a snake or insect,* Ku tsua ; ku pfundula.
—— *the feathers, to moult,* Ku sosola.
—— *To cast up, as an entrenchment or mound,* Ku kumba.
—— *To cast down, to deject,* Ku patsa tshisoni.
—— *To scatter or throw, as dust,* Ku tsira.
—— *To cast out, to eject,* Ku turutsa.
—— *To shed the teeth,* Ku gulula.
—— *To cast off, as a line,* Ku masula.
—— *As in a mould,* ku ulunga.
—— *To cast its leaves, as a tree,* Ku pakatika.
—— *To throw a spear,* Ku ponya ntungu.
Castaway, *n.* Wotaiidwa, otaiidwa.
Castigate, *v. t.* *To beat,* Ku menya *and* ku menia.
—— *To punish,* Ku langa.
—— *To flog,* Ku kwapula.
Castigation, *n.* Kumenya ; kukwapula.
Castle, *n.* Nyumba ya nkondo.
Castor-oil bean, *n.* Nsatsi, zinsatsi.
Castrate, *v. t.* Ku fula.
Casual, *a.* -*O*iwaza.
Casualty, *n.* Mpingu, mipingu.
Cat, *n.* *The wild cat,* Vumbwi, avumbwi.
—— *The domestic cat,* Mpaka, ampaka.
—— *The tiger cat,* Njuzi, anjuzi.
—— *Civet,* Mwiri, amwiri.
Cataract, *n.* Titi, matiti.
Catch, *v. t.* *To seize, or lay hold of with the hand,* Ku gwira.
—— *To catch, or overtake,* Ku patika.
—— *To catch a thing thrown, as a ball,* Ku aka.
—— *As in a thong, or lasso,* Ku koloweka.
—— *To catch a sickness,* Ku gwidwa ndi (ntenda).
—— *Up, or lift up,* Ku tukula ; ku kwatula.
Catechise, *v. t.* Ku funsa.
Catechism, *n.* Katekisma, (la) makatekisma.
Cattle, *n.* Ngombe, zing'ombe.
Cattle-fold, *n.* Kola la ng'ombe.
Cattle-herd, *n.* Mbusa, ambusa.
Caul, *n.* Tshikanje, dzikanje.
Caulk, *v. t.* *To caulk a canoe,* Ku sindira *and* ku sinda.
Cause, *v. t.* *To make to exist,* Ku panga.
—— *n.* *To be the cause of a thing happening,* Ku li tshifukwa.
—— *Reason, motive,* Tshifukwa, zifukwa.
Caution, *n.* Kutshenjera.
—— *v. t.* *To caution one against, to warn,* Ku tshenjeza ; ku taulira.
—— *To caution one against evil by fear of punishment,* Ku opsa.
Cautious, *a.* -*O*tshenjera.
Cave, *n.* Panga, (la) mapanga ; mbuna, zimbuna ; mphanda, zimphanda.
Cavil, *v. t.* Ku lankuladala.
Cease, *v. i.* *To leave off,* Ku leka ; ku reka.
Ceaseless, *a.* -*O*saleka.
Ceaselessly, *adv.* Kosaleka.
Celibacy, *n.* Umbeta.

Celibate, *n.* *Female,* Mbeta, zimbeta.
—— *Male,* Mbeta wamamuna.
Celestial, *a.* *Heavenly,* -Amwamba.
Cell, *n.* *As of prison,* Tshipinda, dzipinda.
Cement, *n.* Tshinandu.
—— *v. t.* Ku lumikiza; ku patikiza.
Cemetery, *n.* *A burial place,* Mianda.
Censer, *n.* Tshogwirira tsha zonung'kira.
Censure, *n.* Kusulumula.
—— *v. t.* *To rebuke,* Ku sulumula.
—— *To condemn,* Ku tshimika.
—— *To convict,* Ku tshimikiza.
Centipede, *n.* Dzongololo, madzongololo.
Centre, *n.* *At,* Pakati.
—— *In the centre,* M' kati.
Certain, *a.* *Not doubtful,* -Otshimikiza.
—— *Sure,* -Olimba.
—— *Knowing that,* Kudziwa.
—— *A certain person,* Muntu modzi; modzi, -amodzi; wina, ena.
Certainly, *adv.* *Truthfully,* Koona, kwanteradi.
—— *Without question,* Nditu.
Certainty, *n.* *Truth,* Nteradi.
—— *Confirmation,* Kulimbitsa.
Cerumen, *n.* *Wax from the ear,* Nkhonda, zinkhonda.
Cessation, *n.* Ku leka.
Chafe, *v. i.* Ku tsupuka.
—— *v. t.* *The skin, as by a burden,* Ku tsupula.
Chaff, *n.* Mungu; koko, makoko.
—— *Bran,* Dea, madea.
Chain, *n.* Unyolo, (wa) maunyolo.
—— *v. t.* Ku manga ndi unyolo.
Chair, *n.* Mpando, mipando.
Chalcedony, *n.* Kalkedon.
Chalk, *n.* Tshoko, (la) matshoko.
Challenge, *n.* Umtsera ntima, (wa) maumtsera ntima.
—— *v. t.* *To claim,* Ku zindikila.
—— *To war or combat,* Ku mtsera ntima.
Chameleon, *n.* Nadzikambe, anadzikambe.
Champ, *v. t.* *To chew, to masticate,* Ku tafuna.
Champaign, *n.* *A flat country,* Dambo, (la) madambo.
Champion, *n.* *Advocate,* Nkoswe, ankoswe.
Chance, *v. t.* *To happen,* Ku vumbulukira.
—— *n.* *Misfortune,* Tsoka; mpingo, mipingo.
—— *Sudden unexpected occurrence,* Kantu kuvumbulukira.
Change, *v. t.* *To alter a thing,* Ku sanduliza.
—— *To change the conduct,* Ku tembenuza ntima.
—— *To change or barter one thing for another,* Ku sintana.
—— *To change places with another,* Ku sintana.
—— *v. i.* *To change the mind repeatedly,* Ku sandula.
—— *To change money,* Ku sintana ndrama.
—— *To translate,* Ku sandutsa.
—— *n.* *Change of conduct,* Kusinta.
—— *The change of the moon,* Kutembenuka kwa mwezi.
—— *Between moons,* Midima.
Changeable, *a.* *Fickle,* -Otembenuka.
Channel, *n.* *Course of a river,* Kwawa, (la) makwawa.
—— *A watercourse by which water is led, as for irrigation or for a mill,* Mtshera, mitshera.
Chant, *v. i.* Ku imba.
—— *n.* Nyimbo, zimyimbo.
Chap, *n.* *A crack in the flesh,* Tshinyati, dzinyati.
—— *v. t.* *To open, to crack,* Ku nyata.
—— *As green bricks in drying,* Ku nyenyetuka.
Chapel, *n.* Nyumba ya Mulungu.
Chapter, *n.* *Of a book,* Nzere, mizere. *The first chapter of John's*

Gospel, Nzere watshimodzi wa Ivangeli wa Yohane.

Char, *v. t.* *To burn charcoal*, Ku otsha makala.

Character, *n.* *Peculiar quality, nature*, Makalidwe. *Reputation, peculiarity of disposition*, Makalidwe ; ntima.

Charcoal, *n.* Kala, (la) makala.

Charge, *v. t.* *To accuse*, Ku tshula.

—— *To lay to the charge of*, Ku tshula ; ku ndzudzula.

—— *To command, to enjoin*, Ku uza.

—— *v. i.* *To have in charge, to guard*, Ku dikira.

—— *v. t.* *To warn ; to threaten, command to beware*, Ku langiza.

—— *To charge or load a gun*, Ku sopera mfuti.

—— *Payment*, Kulipira, malipiro.

—— *Commission*, uzo, (la) mauzo.

—— *Cost or price, expense*, ntengo (watshi).

—— *n.* *Accusation of guilt*, Tshulo *and* mtshulo, (la) matshulo.

—— *Charge of powder in a gun*, Ntete, mitete.

Chariot, *n.* Tshariote.

Charitable, *a.* -*A*mitulo.

Charity, *n.* *Love*, Kukonda.

—— *Gift*, Tshaulere, zaulere ; ntulo, mitulo.

Charm, *v. i.* *To subdue by love*, Ku koloweka.

—— *To fortify with charms against evil ; e.g., to vaccinate, or to put up a lightning conductor*, Ku tsirika.

—— *v. t.* *Kill by poison*, Ku lodza.

—— *n.* *A protection against evil*, Mankwala.

Chase, *v. t.* *To hunt game*, Ku saka *nyama*.

—— *To pursue*, Ku ronda.

—— *To chase away*, Ku tamangitsa.

—— *n.* *A hunt*, Kusaka.

Chasm, *n.* Mphompo, (la) maphompo.

Chaste, *a.* *Undefiled*, -*O*nung'kidwa ; -*o*yera.

Chastened, *a.* -*O*sulumulidwa.

Chastening, *n.* Kulanga ; kusulumula.

Chastise, *v. t.* *To punish*, Ku langa ; ku menya.

—— *To flog*, ku kwapula.

—— *To reprove, to rebuke*, Ku sulumula.

—— *To chastise by inflicting a penalty*, Ku dzombola.

Chastisement, *n.* Kumenya ; kulanga.

Chastity, *n.* Kunung'kidwa.

Chat, *v. i.* *To chatter*, Ku lankula ; ku longolola. *We had a chat about that matter*, Tinalankula ndi tshimene.

Chattels, *n.* Zintu.

Chatter, *v. i.* Ku longolola ; ku lankula.

Chatting, *n.* Kulankula.

Cheap, *v. i.* *To be*, Ku oloa.

—— *a.* -*O*oloa.

Cheat, *v. t.* *To deceive*, Ku nyenga. *To defraud a person in a bargain*, Ku ba.

—— *n.* *A fraud*, Tshinyengo ; kuba. *One who cheats*, Watshinyengo, atshinyengo.

Cheating, *n.* *The act of cheating*, Kuba ; kunyenga.

Check, *v. t.* *To stop, to hinder*, Ku letsa ; ku tshedwetsa. *Check, stop that person*, Letsa muntu amene. *Why do you hinder me ?* Unditshedwetsa bwanje ?

—— *To chide or rebuke*, Ku sulumula.

—— *To turn back*, Ku bweza.

—— *n.* *That which stops or restrains*, Tshiletso, dziletso.

Checked, *p.p.* *Stopped or restrained*, -*O*letsedwa.

Cheek, *n.* Tsaia, (la) matsaia.

Cheek-bone, *n.* Banwa, zimbanwa.

Cheer, *v. t.* *To gladden,* Ku sekeretsa.
—— *To encourage,* Ku sekeretsa; ku fulumiza.
—— *To comfort,* Ku sangalatsa.
—— *To salute with shouts,* Ku tsazika.
—— *n.* Sekera, (la) masekera.
Cheerful, *a.* *Pleasant, happy,* -*O*seka; -osekera; -*a*tshimwemwe.
—— *A cheerful person,* Muntu watshimwemwe.
Cheerfully, *adv.* Koseka *and* kosekera.
Cheerfulness, *n.* Kusekera.
Cheerily, *adv.* Koseka; kosekera; ndi ntima.
Cheer up, *v. i.* *To become cheerful,* Ku zika; ku zika ntima.
Cheese, *n.* Tshize, (la) matshize.
Cherish, *v. t.* *To nourish, to protect,* Ku lera.
—— *To love,* Ku konda.
—— *To look after,* Ku sungira.
Cherub, *n.* Kerube, (la) makerube.
Chest, *n.* *A box,* Bokosi, (la) mabokosi.
—— *Of the body,* Tshifua, dzifua.
Chew, *v. t.* *To masticate,* Ku tafuna.
Chick, *n.* / **Chicken,** *n.* } *The young of the hen,* Mwana wa nkuku; mwanapia, anapia.
Chide, *v. t.* Ku sulumula.
Chief, *a.* *Highest in office or rank,* -Kuru.
—— *n.* *Most important,* Fumu yotshuka, mafumu otshuka.
Chiefdom, *n.* Ufumu.
Chiefly, *adv.* *Especially,* Kopambana.
Chieftainship, *n.* Ufumu.
Chieftess, *n.* Fumu yeikazi.
Child, *n.* Mwana, ana.
Childbearing, *n.* Kubala mwana.
Childbirth, *n.* Kubadwa mwana.
Childhood, *n.* Ubwana; umwana watshi.
Childish, *a.* / **Childishly,** *adv.* / **Childlike,** } Kwaubwana.
Childless, *a.* -*O*panda mwana;
—— **man or woman.** Tshimbwira, dzimbwira.
Chill, *v. t.* Kuziziritsa.
—— *n.* Kuzizira.
Chilly, *a.* -*O*zizira.
Chimney, *n.* Kafambira, akafambira.
Chin, *n.* Tshibwano, dzibwano.
Chink, *n.* Ndala, mindala.
Chip, *v. t.* Ku patula.
—— *n.* Tshipato, dzipato.
Chit. *The first shooting or germination of a seed or plant,* Tshimera, vimera.
—— *A child, or babe, in familiar language,* Kamwana.
—— *To sprout, to shoot out,* Ku mera.
Choice, *n.* *The act of choosing,* Kusang'ka.
Choir, *n.* *Chorister,* Tsheulo, atsheulo.
—— *v. i.* *To sing in a choir,* Ku tsheula,
Choke, *v. t.* *In swallowing,* Ku tsamwa.
—— *By immersion,* Ku tseka pwea.
—— *By grasping throat, to strangle,* Ku kwipa.
—— *As weeds do a plant,* Ku kwinyata.
—— *To be choked,* Ku tsekedwa pwea.
Choose, *v. t.* Ku sang'ka.
—— *To choose to do a thing,* Ku funa. *I do so because I choose to do it,* Ditshita tshointshi tshifuka difuna.
Chop, *v. t.* *To chop off,* Ku dula.
—— *To chop into small pieces, to mince,* Ku nyenya.
—— *To chop down trees or bushes,* Ku dula.
—— *To chop firewood,* Ku dula nkuni.
—— *To chop up firewood by splitting,* Ku ng'ambika.

Chosen, *a.* -*O*sang'kidwa.
Christ, *n.* Kristu.
Christen, *v. t.* *To baptize,* Ku bapatiza.
Christian, *n.* Mkristu, Akristu.
—— *a.* -*A*kristu.
Christianity, *n.* Ukristu.
Chrysolite, *n.* Krizolito.
Chrysoprase, *n.* Krizopazo.
Church, *n.* *An ecclesiastical building,* Nyumba ya Mulungu.
—— *The collective body of Christians,* Eklesia, (la) maeklesia. *The church which was in Jerusalem,* Eklesia lomwe linali m' Yerusalem.
Churn, *v. t.* Ku enga; ku enga mafuta.
—— *n.* Ntiko, mitiko.
Cicatrice, *n.* *Scar remaining after the healing of a wound,* Tshilama, dzilama.
Cinder, *n.* Kala, makala; *seldom used in Sing.*
—— *From a blacksmith's forge,* Makabvi.
Circle, *v. i.* *To move, or revolve round,* Ku zungulira.
—— *To go round in a circle,* Ku zungulira.
—— *v. t.* *To surround,* Ku zunguniza. *Surround the enemy,* Zunguniza liwongo.
—— *n.* Kuzungulira.
—— *A circle or halo round the sun,* Nkokwe ya dzua; *or moon,* Nkokwe ya mwezi.
Circuit, *n.* Kuzungulira.
Circular, *v. t.* *To make circular.* Ku tshetsheteza.
—— *a.* -*O*tshetsheteza.
Circulate, *v. t.* *To cause to pass from one place to another,* Ku endetsa. *Circulate the Word of God,* Endetsa mau a Mulungu.
—— *To publish news,* Ku bukitsa.
Circumcise, *v. t.* Ku dula.
—— *v. i.* *To adopt or conform to the rite of circumcision,* Ku dulidwa.
Circumcision, *n.* Kudula.
Circumspect, *a.* *Cautious,* -*O*tshenjera.
—— *v. i.* *To be circumspect or prudent in action,* Ku tshenjera.
Circumstance, *n.* Kantu; tshintu; mrandu.
Circumvent, *v. t.* *To gain advantage over another by fraud or stratagem,* Ku tshenjerera.
Circumvention, *n.* Kutshinjiriza.
Cistern, *n.* *A natural reservoir for water,* Ntawali.
—— *A well,* Tshitsime, zitsime.
Citadel, *n.* *A fortress,* Nyumba ya nkondo.
Cite, *v. t.* *At law,* Ku itana; ku itana ku mrandu.
—— *To institute legal proceedings against,* Ku tshula mrandu.
Citizen, *n.* Wanzinda, anzinda.
Citizenship, *n.* Unzinda.
City, *n.* Mzinda, mizinda.
Civet cat, *n.* Mwiri, amwiri.
Civil, *a.* *Courteous in conduct,* -*A*ulemu. *A civil person,* Muntu waulemu.
Civility, *n.* Ulemu.
Clad, *p.p.* *To be clad,* -*O*bvalidwa.
Claim, *v. t.* *To claim as right,* Ku tshimikiza.
—— *To claim, or demand authoritatively,* Ku panikiza. *I claim that article,* Dipanikiza tshintu tshimene.
Claimant, *n.* Wotshimikiza, otshimikiza.
Clamorously, *adv.* Kopokosa.
Clamour, *v. i.* Ku longolola.
—— *n.* Kulongolola; pokoso, (la) mapokoso.
Clamourer, *n.* Wakulongolola, akulongolola.
Clan, *n.* Mtundu, mitundu; fuko, (la) mafuko; gulu, (la) magulu.
Clandestinely, *adv.* Kobisa; kosalimau. *They work clandestinely,* Atshita kobisa.
Clanging, *n.* Kulira.

Clap, *v. t.* *To clap the hands,* Ku omba manja.
—— *In unison,* Ku tshita tshirukutu.
—— *n.* *A loud report,* Tuzu, (la) matuzu. *A thunder clap,* Bingu.
Clarify, *v. t.* *To clarify by straining or pouring off a liquid,* Ku tetekula.
Clarion, *n.* Lipenga, (la) malipenga.
Clash, *v. t.* *To meet in opposition,* Ku gumukiza.
—— *To act contrary to,* Ku tshita pa.
Clasp, *n.* *A catch or fastening,* Tshomangira, dzomangira; tshogwirira, dzogwirira.
—— *An embrace, the throwing of the arms around a person or thing,* Kufungumira.
—— *A grip with the arms,* Kufumbata.
Class, *n.* *An order of persons or things,* Gulu, (la) magulu. *That class of persons,* Gulu limene la antu.
Clatter, *v. i.* *Of plates,* Ku wereweta.
—— *v. t.* *Of plates and of speaking,* Ku werewetetsa.
—— *To talk,* Ku longolola.
—— *n.* Kuwereweta, kulongolola.
Claw, *v. t.* *To tear with the nails,* Ku kanda.
—— *n.* *The talons of a bird or beast,* Tshikabado, dzikabado.
—— *The whole foot of a bird or beast,* Tshikato, dzikato.
Clay, *n.* *Pot-clay, pipe-clay,* Dote, (la) madote.
—— *Red-clay, or paint for body,* Kundwe, akundwe.
—— *v.* *To cover with clay, as in harling,* Ku tsira.
—— *To plaster the clay smooth,* Ku mata.
Clean, *a.* -*O*tsuka; -otsukidwa. *A clean garment,* Mwinjiro wotsukidwa. *A clean heart,* Ntima wotsukidwa.
Clean, *a.* *Of body,* -*O*samba; -osambidwa.
—— *Of person,* -*O*sisira.
Cleaned, *a.* -*O*tsukidwa.
Cleanse, *v. t.* *By water,* Ku tsuka; ku sambitsa.
—— *By scouring,* Ku tiula.
—— *By removing impurities,* Ku sankula.
—— *To cleanse grain by removing chaff,* Ku peta.
Clear, *a.* -*O*onekera. *Clear water,* Madzi oonekera.
—— *a.* *Shining, burnished,* -Ong'azimira.
—— *To make to shine as metal,* Ku ng'azimitsa; Ku ng'azimiritsa.
—— *To be clear from blame,* -*O*onekera kwa tshimo.
—— *v. i.* *To clear up, as the sky from clouds and mist,* Ku kang'ganuka.
—— *v. t.* *To clear away, as rubbish,* Ku kokola.
—— *To clear from guilt,* Ku yeretsa; ku deketsa.
—— *To clear a liquid from impurities,* Ku sankulitsa.
—— *By filtering,* Ku tsheza.
—— *v. i.* Ku tetekula.
—— *To clear, as the weather,* Ku kang'ganutsa.
—— *To clear oneself from blame,* Ku dzikana.
Clearing, *n.* *A clear, open country,* Dambo, (la) madambo.
—— *Of oneself from blame,* Kudzikana.
Cleave, *v. i.* *To stick, to adhere, to hold to,* Ku patika.
—— *To abide by one,* Ku kala ndi.
—— *To keep or remain by, as Ruth to Naomi,* Ku sungana.
—— *v. t.* *To part by splitting,* Ku ng'amba.
Cleft, *n.* *As of a rock or tree,* Panda, (la) mapanda.
Clemency, *n.* *Kindness,* Kukoma.
—— *Favour,* Kuanja.
—— *Mercy,* Nsisi.

Clever, *a.* *Dexterous,* -*O*tshenjera manja.
—— *Sharp, keen,* -*O*tshenjera.
—— *Skilful,* -*A*nzeru. *A clever child,* Mwana wotshenjera.
—— *Prudent,* -*A*tshisao.
Cleverness, *n.* *Dexterity,* Kutshenjera manja.
—— *Skill,* Nzeru.
Clift, *n.* *A precipice,* Phompo, maphompo.
Climb, *v. i.* *To climb a tree, or climb a hill,* Ku kwera.
—— *To climb, as plants,* Ku anga.
Clinch, *v. t.* *To close the hand,* Ku funya.
—— *To close the hand with anything in it,* Ku fumbata.
Cling, *v. t.* *To adhere to, to stick to,* Ku gwira.
—— *To hang on to, to cleave to,* Ku gwiriza.
—— *To grasp by hand or arms (to hold securely in hand, as money),* Ku fumbata.
—— *To wind round, as a snake embracing the person,* Ku zerenga.
Clink, *v. i.* *To make a slightly ringing sound,* Ku wereweta.
Clip, *v. t.* *To cut short,* Ku dula ; ku fupitsa.
—— *As wool, to shear,* Ku senga.
Clitoris feminæ, *n.* Nang'ongo.
Cloak *and* **cloke,** *n.* Tshopfundira, zopfundira.
Clock, *n.* Kloko.
Clod, *n.* *A lump of earth,* Buma, (la) mauma.
Clog, *v. t.* *To hinder in motion,* Ku tshedwetsa.
Close, *v. t.* *To shut, as a door,* Ku tseka.
—— *To close or shut the eyes,* Ku tseka maso.
—— *To close the hand tightly, so as to grasp a thing,* Ku gwira.
—— *n.* *The close of a discourse, conclusion,* Kumara ; kuta.
—— *adv.* *Near to,* Pafupi. *Close to the house,* Pafupi nyumba.

Closehanded, *a.* -*O*uma manja.
—— **Very.** -*O*uma ntima.
Closet, *n.* *A side-room,* Tshipinda, dzipinda.
Clot, *n.* *Clots of blood,* Tindirima ya mwazi, tindirima za mwazi. *Clotted blood,* Mwazi wolimba.
Cloth, *n.* Nsaru, zinsaru. *Red cloth,* Nkanzo, zinkanzo.
Clothe, *v. t.* *To clothe the person, to dress,* Ku bvala.
—— *To clothe the person with a cloak, or an outer garment,* Ku pfundira.
—— *To clothe, by giving clothing,* Ku ning'ka nsaru.
—— *To clothe another,* Ku bveka.
Clothes, *n.* *General term,* Nsaru, zinsaru.
—— *A single article of clothing, a dress,* Mwinjiro, miinjiro; maraia.
Clothing, *n.* Nsaru.
Cloud, *n.* Ntambo, mitambo.
—— *v. i.* *To become obscure, as the sky,* Ku pimba.
Cloudy, *a.* -*O*gudumira.
Clough, *n.* *A narrow pass between mountains,* Mpata, mipata.
Clout, *v. i.* *To beat with the hand,* Ku menya ; ku mẹnia.
—— *n.* *A cloth for wiping with, a worn-out rag,* Nsanza, mansanza.
Cloy, *v. t.* *To be satiated,* Ku tipidwa.
Cloyed, *p.p.* -*O*tipidwa.
Club, *n.* *A long, heavy stick, with a knob, or a piece cut off a tree or plank,* Tshikunku dzikunku.
—— *A short stick with a large knob,* Ndodo, zindodo.
—— *A long stick without a knob,* Ntole, zintole.
—— *A very large heavy club,* Nkunku, mikunku.
Clue, *n.* Tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.
Clump, *n.* *A cluster of trees,* Pata la ntengo, mapata a ntengo.
—— *A short thick piece of wood,* Tshikunku, dzikunku.

Cluster, *v. i.* *To gather together, as bees,* Ku manga ntenge.
—— *n.* *Of bees,* Ntenge, zintenge.
—— *Of fruit,* Tsango, (la) matsango.
—— *Of grain (head),* Ngala, zingala.
Clutch, *v. t.* Ku fumbata ; ku aka.
Coach, *n.* Gareta (la) magareta.
Coagulate, *v. i.* *To thicken, as blood, or porridge in boiling,* Ku limba.
—— *v. t.* *To curdle, as milk,* Ku limbitsa.
Coal, *n.* Makala (*sing., rarely used,* Kala). *Live burning coals,* Makala a moto.
Coalesce, *v. i.* *To come together,* Ku song'kana.
—— *To grow together,* Ku matirira.
Coalition, *n.* Kusong'kana.
Coarse, *v. i.* *To be coarse or bad,* Ku ng'adza.
—— *a.* *Of flour, meal, or powder,* -*O*ng'adza. *Coarse flour,* Ufa wong'adza.
—— *Rough in manner,* -*O*pulupudza ; -otswata.
—— *Bad,* -oipa.
Coarseness, *n.* Kupulupudza ; kung'adza.
Coast, *v. t.* Ku lambalala.
—— *n.* *The sea coast, landing place and inhabited,* Doko, madoko. *On the sea coast,* Pa doko la nyanja yamtshere.
—— *Uninhabited,* Gombe, (la) magombe.
Coasts, *n.* *Borders of a country,* Mraga, miraga.
Coat, *n.* Maraia.
Coax, *v. t.* *To persuade by flattery,* Ku senyenga.
Cob, *n.* *The ear, or spike of maize (whole head),* Tuntu, (la) matuntu.
—— *The central core on which the grains are set,* Song'onto, dzisong'onto ; tshikonyo, dzikonyo.
Cobble, *v. t.* *To perform work coarsely,* Ku sasamala ntshito.
—— *To patch, mend,* Ku fotokoza.
Cobweb, *n.* Ukonde wa tandaude, maukonde a tandaude.
Cock, *n.* *The domestic cock,* Tambala, atambala.
—— *Cock-bird, of guineafowl, partridge, etc.,* Nkanga yatambala.
—— *Cock-bird, of waterfowl and small birds,* -*A*mamuna.
—— *v. t.* *To raise the doghead of a gun,* Ku tshera mfuti.
—— *To set erect,* Ku imitsa. *Cock the gun,* Tshera mfuti.
Cockatoo, *n.* *With a crest,* Tshinkwe (?).
Cockatrice, *n.* Njoka.
Cockroach, *n.* Mpemvu, zimpemvu.
Cock's-comb, *n.* Tshitshatshobolo ; tshatshororo, (la) matshatshororo.
Cock-spurs, *n.* Tshilimba, dzilimba.
Cocoanut tree, *n.* Ngole, mingole; nkoko, mikoko.
—— (fruit). Ngole, mangole ; koko, akoko.
Coerce, *v. t.* Ku kakamiza.
Coercion, *n.* Kukakamiza.
Coffee, *n.* Kofi.
Coffin, *n.* *Of bark,* Kungwa.
—— *Of mat,* Tshira, (la) matshira.
Cogitate, *v. i.* Ku ganiza.
Cogitation, *n.* Kuganiza.
Cohere, *v. i.* Ku patikana.
Cohesion, *n.* Kupatika ; kupatikana.
Coil, *v. i.* *As wire round a spear,* Ku serenga.
—— *As a rope,* Ku zinga.
—— *n.* *Of rope or wire,* Nkhata, zinkhata.
Coin, *n.* Ndrama, zindrama.
Coincide, *v. i.* Ku komana ; ku patikana.
—— *In opinion,* Ku ganiza kofana.

Cold, *a.* *Not warm,* -*O*zizira.
—— *v. i.* *To feel cold,* Ku li -*o*zizira.
—— *To tremble with cold,* Ku zizidwa. *Cold water,* Madzi ozizira. *The weather is very cold,* Mpepo iri yozizira.
—— *n.* Kuzizira.
—— *Of wind,* Tshitsanu.
—— *Catarrh,* -*O*dwala tshifua.
Colic, *n.* Tshirombo tsha mimba; ku li ndi njoka. *He has the colic,* Ali ndi tshirombo tsha mimba.
Collapse, *v. i.* *To fail,* Ku lepera; ku komoka.
Colleague, *n.* *Companion, associate,* Nza, anza, *with pron. following.*
—— *A fellow-worker,* Wotshita nz*anga*, otshita anz*anga*.
Collect, *v. i.* *To gather together,* Ku song'kana.
—— *v. t.* *To collect weeds, as in a garden,* Ku song'kanitsa.
—— *To collect, as money in a place of worship,* Ku song'kanitsa ndrama.
—— *To collect things or persons together, to convene,* Ku song'kanitsa; ku komaniza.
Collection, *n.* *That which is given by a congregation for religious or charitable purposes,* Song'kanitso, (la) masong'kanitso.
—— *Of articles,* Song'kanitso, (la) masong'kanitso.
—— *Of people, a crowd,* Kusong'kana.
Colon, *n.* Tshipfu, dzipfu (?).
Colonize, *v. t.* Ku panduka.
Colony, *n.* Kupanduka; koloni, makoloni.
Colour, *v. t.* *As with paint,* Ku paka.
—— *n.* *A paint,* Utoto, (wa) mautoto.
Colt, *n.* Mwana wa buru; mwana wa kavalo.
Column, *n.* *Pillar,* Nzati, mizati.
Comb, *v. t.* Ku pesa.
—— *n.* Tshipezo, dzipezo.
Combat, *v. t.* Ku menyana.
—— *n.* Kumenyana.
Come, *v. i.* *To come when called,* Ku dza *and* za.
—— *To arrive,* ku fika.
—— *To come back,* Ku bwera.
—— *To come from,* Ku dzera.
—— *To come from originally, e.g. one's native country,* Ku fuma.
—— *To come near,* Ku yandika *and* andika.
—— *To come short of a standard,* Ku perewera.
—— *To come out,* Ku turuka.
—— *To come down, to descend,* Ku tsika.
—— *To come to oneself,* Ku tsitsimuka.
—— *To come off a journey,* Ku bwera kwa ulendo.
—— *v. t.* *To come to naught,* Ku peputsa *and* ku pangidwa tshabe.
—— *To come or fall apart,* Ku banduka.
—— *v. i.* *To come together, to assemble,* Ku song'kana.
—— *v. t.* *To cause to assemble,* Ku song'kanitsa.
—— *v. i.* *To come together, as two persons sitting together,* Ku sendera.
—— *To come together, to cause to do so,* Ku sendeza.
—— *To come upon suddenly,* Ku bukira. *I came upon a leopard,* Dinabukira nialugwi.
—— *To come up with, to meet,* Ku komana.
—— *To overtake,* Ku komana.
—— *To come to pass,* Ku li.
—— *To come into sight,* Ku onekera.
—— *To come to maturity,* Ku psa.
Comeliness, *n.* Kugongola.
Comely, *a.* *Handsome, graceful,* -*O*kongola; -okonzetsa.
—— **To be,** Ku li -okongola.

Comer, *n.* *One who arrives,* Wakufika, akufika.
—— *A new comer,* Wakufika watsopano, akufika atsopano; wofika watsopano, ofika atsopano.
Comfort, *v. t.* *To cheer or enliven,* Ku sangalatsa ; ku sekeretsa.
—— *To console,* Ku iwaza ; ku sangalatsa.
—— *To invigorate, to refresh with food and rest,* Ku sangalatsa, ku limbikitsa.
—— *n.* Kusangalala ; kusangalatsa.
Comfortable, *a.* -*A*tebwe. *I am in comfortable circumstances,* Dikala tebwe.
—— **To be,** Ku kala tebwe.
Comfortably, *adv.* Tebwe.
Comforter, *n.* Wosangalatsa, osangalatsa.
Coming, *n.* Kudza ; kufika.
Command, *v. t.* *To govern,* Ku weruza.
—— *To give orders,* Ku uza.
—— *To give a commandment or to issue an edict,* Ku lamula.
—— *To give a charge as to the disposal of effects,* Ku loeza.
—— *Cause to punish,* Ku langiza.
—— *n.* *Edict,* Lamulo, malamulo.
Commandant, *n.* Mbiri.
Commander, *n.* Mbiri.
—— *Of soldiers,* Kazembe, akazembe.
Commandment, *n.* Mau. *The ten commandments,* Mau kumi.
—— *Order, charge, proclamation,* Kuuza, mauzo.
Commemorate, *v. t.* Ku kumbukitsa, *contracted* ku kumbutsa.
Commence, *v. t.* Ku amba, *with euphonic letters* i *and* y.
Commencement, *n.* Kwiamba ; kuiamba.
Commend, *v. t.* Ku bvomereza.
—— **As good,** Ku tamanda ; ku amika.
Commendation, *n.* Kubvomereza ; kuamika.
Commerce, *n.* *Interchange of commodities,* Maronda.
—— *Trade in general,* Maronda.
Commingle, *v. t.* Ku sang'kanitsa.
—— *Of people of different tribes,* Ku sokanikiza.
—— *v. i.* *Of people of different tribes,* Ku sokanikila.
Commiserate, *v. t.* *To pity,* Ku kala ndi tshisoni ; ku tengera nsoni ndi. *I commiserate him,* Dikala ndi nsoni ndi ie.
—— *To compassionate,* Ku mva tshisoni ndi.
Commiseration, *n.* Nsoni.
Commission, *v. t.* *To authorize, to empower,* Ku pereka.
—— *n.* *The entrusting as a charge or duty,* Kupatsa kuuza.
Commit, *v. t.* *To intrust,* Ku mvana ; ku patsa ; ku ikirira.
—— *To or unto,* ku ika pa ; ku ikirira.
—— *To commit oneself,* Ku dzibweza.
—— *To do* (*as a fault*), Ku tshita.
—— *To commit adultery,* Ku tshita tshigololo.
—— *A fault or error,* Ku tshimwa.
—— *To give a charge, to commission,* Ku loeza ntshito ; ku ika kuuza. *This charge I commit to thee, my son Timothy,* Kuuza kumene diika pa iwe mwana wanga Timote.
—— *To commit to the care of,* Ku perekezedwa, *ctr.*, ku perekedzwa.
Common, *n.* *An open ground,* Busa, (la) mabusa.
—— *A thing common to every one,* Kantu kwa onse.
—— *Or forbidden, profane,* -Nko.
Commonalty, *n.* *The common people,* Antu atshabe.
Commotion, *v. t.* *To put in commotion, to shake up fluid in a bottle,* Ku takasa.

Commotion, *n.* *A disturbance,* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso; kutembenukatembenuka.
—— *Of a fluid, as of boiling water,* Kutakasika.
—— *Or agitation of mind,* Kuopa; kuntentemera.
—— *after a theft,* Kuzingalidwa.
Commune, *v. i.* *To converse,* Ku lankula, *and* ku lankulana.
—— *To commune inwardly,* Ku nena ndi ntima.
Communicate, *v. t.* *To inform of,* Ku taulira.
—— *To impart,* Ku patsa; ku ning'ka.
—— *To declare to,* Ku uza.
—— *To sympathize,* Ku mva tshisoni.
Communication, *n.* Kutaulira; kunena; kuuza.
Communion, *n.* *Fellowship,* Unza*tshi, with change of pronoun.*
—— *Participation,* Kugawana.
Community, *n.* Bumba, zimbumba.
Compact, *n.* *An agreement,* Kupangana; kugwirizana.
—— *v. t.* Ku pangana; kugwirizana.
Companion, *n.* Nza, anza.
—— *In travel,* Mlendo-nzatshi, olendo-anzatshi.
Companionship, *n.* *Company,* Unza, *pron. following.*
Company, *n.* *A company of people,* Gulu, (la) magulu.
—— *A nation,* Kamu, (la) makamu. *This word includes* Fuko, (la) mafuko, *a family or tribe.*
—— *An assembly,* Kusong'kana; gulu.
—— *v. i.* *To stay with,* Ku kala ndi.
Comparatively, *adv.* Kofana ndi.
Compare, *v. t.* *To compare one thing with another, as to likeness,* Ku faniza; ku fanizira.
—— *With regard to size,* Ku linganiza.
—— *To differ from,* Ku siana.
Comparison, *n.* Kufaniza; kufanizira; kulinganiza; kusiana.
Compartment, *n.* Tshipinda, dzipinda.
Compass, *v. t.* *To surround,* Ku zungulira.
—— *To enclose, to encircle,* Ku zunguniza.
—— *To besiege, to block up,* Ku tseka.
Compassion, *n.* Tshisoni; nsoni; nsisi.
Compassionate, *v. t.* Ku kala ndi tshisoni ndi.
Compassionately, *adv.* Kwansoni.
Compatible, *a.* -*O*anjana; -osadana.
Compatibly, *adv.* Koanjana.
Compel, *v. t.* *To force, to impress,* Ku kakamiza.
—— *To constrain, to necessitate,* Ku fulumiza.
Compensate, *v. t.* Ku lipa.
Compensation, *n.* Kulipa, kulipira; lipiro, (la) malipiro.
Complain, *v. i.* *To murmur,* Ku ndandaula.
—— *To lament,* Ku lira.
—— *To complain of, to inform against,* Ku taulira; ku tshula.
Complainer, *n.* Waukuuneza (?).
Complaint, *n.* Tshulo, (la) matshulo; kundandaula.
—— *n.* *A sickness,* Ntenda, zintenda.
Complete, *v. t.* Ku tetsa, ku mariza.
—— *v. i.* Ku ta; ku mara.
Completely, *adv.* Kota; komara; komariza.
Completeness, *n.* } Kuta; kuma-
Completion, *n.* } ra; kumariza.
Compliance, *n.* Kulola; kubvomera.
Compliant, *a.* -*O*mvera; -olola; -*o*bvomera. *A compliant person,* Muntu wolola.
Complicate, *v. t.* *To complicate a discussion so as to confuse it, to make intricate,* Ku kotetsa.

Compliment, *n.* *Act or expression of civility or respect,* Kulemekeza. *John salutes or greets you,* Yohane autsa iwe.
—— *v. t.* Ku utsa; ku tumiza utso.
Comply, *v. i.* Ku lola; ku bvomera. *I comply with your request,* Dilola ndi kufuna kwako.
Compose, *v. t.* *To tranquillize,* Ku tontola; ku tontoletsa.
—— *v. i.* *To become calm,* Ku kala bata.
—— *v. t.* *To make up,* Ku panga.
—— *A song,* Ku panga nyimbo.
Composed, *a.* *Calm,* -*A*tshete; -otontola; -olimbika.
Composedly, *adv.* Kolimbika.
Composedness, *n.* Kulimbika.
Comprehend, *v. t.* Ku dziwa; ku dziwitsa.
Comprehension, *n.* Kudziwa.
Compress, *v. t.* Ku finya.
Computation, *n.* Kuwerenga.
Compute, *v. t.* Ku werenga.
Computer, *n.* Wowerenga, owerenga; wakuwerenga, akuwerenga.
Comrade, *n.* *A companion,* Nza, anza, *takes pronoun.*
—— *A confidant,* Bwenzi, (la) mabwenzi; bali, abali.
Con, *v. i.* *To revolve in thought,* Ku ganizaganiza.
Concave, *a.* -*O*tendeuka.
—— *To make concave,* Ku tendeula.
Conceal, *v. t.* *To keep secret,* Ku bisa.
—— *To hide from sight,* Ku bisa.
—— *v. i.* *To hide oneself,* Ku bisala.
Concealment, *n.* Kubisa.
Concede, *v. t.* Ku patsa; ku ning'ka; ku lola; ku bvomera.
Conceit, *n.* Kudzitama; ufulu.
Conceited, *a.* -*O*dzitama; -*A*ufulu. *A conceited fellow,* Muntu wodzitama.
—— *To act conceitedly,* Ku tshita kodzitama.
Conceive, *v. i.* *To form in the mind,* Ku ganiza.
—— *To conceive in the womb,* Ku bvuuka; ku amba ku bala.
—— *To be with child,* Ku li ndi mimba; ku li ndi mwana.
Concentrate, *v. t.* *To bring to closer union,* Ku finya.
—— *To mass as an army for attack,* Ku song'kanitsa.
Concern oneself, *v. i.* Ku kondedwa ndi.
—— *To relate to,* Ku kala ndi.
—— *n.* *An affair,* Tshintu, zintu; mrandu, mirandu.
—— *Anxiety, solicitude,* Tshifundu.
—— *Wearing, anxious care,* Tshifundu tshambiri *or* tshatshikuru.
Concerning, *prep.* *Touching,* Ndi.
Concession, *n.* Kutembenuka; kubvomera.
Conciliate, *v. t.* Ku anja; ku anjana ndi; ku anjanitsa; ku pembedza.
Conciliation, *n.* Kuanja.
Conciliator, *n.* Wakuanja, akuanja.
Concision, *n.* Kudula.
Conclude, *v. t.* Ku ta; ku mara; ku mariza.
Conclusion, *n.* Kuta; kumara; kumariza.
—— *End,* Nsonga, zinsonga.
Concord, *n.* Kuanjana.
Concourse, *n.* *An assembly,* Kusong'kana.
—— *A tumultuous concourse of people,* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso.
Concubinage, *n.* Utsanu.
Concubine, *n.* Ntsanu, atsanu.
Concur, *v. i.* Ku ganiza modzimodzi; ku kala ndi ntima umodzi.
Concurrence, *n.* } Kuiana.
Concurrency, *n.* }
Condemn, *v. t.* *As a court of justice,* Ku sutsa *and* ku tsutsa. *He shall condemn the wicked,* Adzasutsa oipa.
—— *The work of one,* Ku sulumula; ku dzudzula.
—— *Utter a sentence,* Ku lamula.

Condemnation, *n.* Kusutsa *and* kutsutsa ; sutso, (la) masutso.
Condemned, *a.* -*O*sutsidwa. *He is already condemned,* Ali wosutsidwa kali.
Condense, *v. i.* *To thicken,* Ku limbikitsa ; ku limbitsa.
Condescend, *v. i.* Ku dzitshepetsa.
Condescension, *n.* Kudzitshepetsa.
Condition, *n.* Makalidwe.
Condole, *v. t.* Ku sangalatsa ; ku iwaza.
Conduct, *v. t.* *To direct, to guide,* Ku sonyeza.
—— *To lead,* Ku tsogolera.
—— *To convoy,* Ku perekeza.
—— **oneself.** Ku dzitangata.
—— *n.* *Actions, behaviour,* Makalidwe ; kudzitangata.
Coney, *n.* Bira, zimbira.
Confederate, *v. i.* *To join together either for war or any other purpose,* Ku gwirizana.
Confederates, *n.* Anz-, *with pron.;* abali ; otshitanzao.
Confer, *v. i.* *To consult together,* Ku gazitsana ; ku pangana ; ku uzana ; ku ganiza ndi.
—— *v. t.* *To give to, or bestow on,* Ku weruza.
Conference, *n.* Mrandu, mirandu.
Confess, *v. t.* *To own a fault,* Ku bvumbula ; ku bvumbulutsa. *They confessed their sins,* Anabvumbula zakwaipa zao.
—— *To acknowledge,* Ku bvomera.
Confession, *n.* Kubvumbulutsa ; kubvomereza.
Confidant, *n.* Wodziwika, odziwika.
Confide, *v. i.* *To trust wholly,* ku mvana. *I confide in him,* Dimvana ndi ie..
Confidence, *n.* Kumvana ; mvanu.
Confident, *a.* -*O*mvana ; -*a*kumvana.
—— *v.* *To be certain,* Ku tshimika ; ku tshimikiza.
Confidently, *adv.* *Of a truth,* Kwanteradi.
Confine, *v. t.* *To shut up in the house,* Ku tseka ; ku ika.
—— *To confine by binding,* Ku manga.
Confinement, *n.* Kutseka ; kuika ; kumanga.
Confirm, *v. t.* Ku limbitsa ; ku limbikitsa.
Confirmation, *n.* Kulimbikitsa.
Confiscate, *v. t.* Ku landa.
Confiscation, *n.* Kulanda.
Conflagration, *n.* Kupsa.
Conflict, *n.* Kumenyana ; kupangana nkondo.
Confluence, *n.* Kukomana. *The confluence of the rivers,* Kukomana kwa mitsinje.
Conform, *v. i.* *To conform to the customs of society,* Ku fanikiza.
Confound, *v. t.* *To mix, as one description of thing or animals with another,* Ku sang'kaniza.
—— *To perplex,* Ku dodometsa.
—— *To cause shame,* Ku patsa manyazi.
Confuse, *v. t.* *To bewilder, or throw into disorder of mind, by causing apprehension or fear,* Ku sokaniza.
—— *v. i.* *To become confused in mind,* Ku sokanikila.
Confusion, *n.* *A state of panic, a tumult,* Tshituzu, dzituzu.
—— *Disorder,* Kusokaniza.
—— *Confusion of mind, things, customs, laws, or countries,* Kusokanikila.
—— *Confusion arising from shame,* Manyazi.
—— *Tumult,* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso.
Confute, *v. t.* *By excelling or surpassing,* Ku pambana.
—— *By overcoming,* Ku pambana.
—— *By reasoning,* Ku sing'ka.
—— *By showing to be wrong,* Ku sutsa.

Congeal, *v. i.* Ku zizira.
Congratulate, *v. t.* Ku sekera na *or* ndi.
Congregate, *v. i.* Ku song'kana.
Congregation, *n.* Kusong'kana.
—— *Church,* Eklesia, (la) maeklesia.
Conjecture, *v. t.* Ku ganiza; ku sing'kasing'ka.
Conjure, *v. t.* *To enjoin solemnly,* Ku ambirira.
—— *To practise enchantments,* Ku mabisalira.
—— *To divine,* Ku ombedza ula.
Connect, *v. t.* *To join together,* Ku manga.
—— *By adding to, or adding a bit in the middle,* Ku lumikiza.
—— *To connect the whole way, as two villages by a road,* Ku lunzira.
Connivance, *n.* Kulekerera.
Connive, *v. i.* Ku lekerera.
Conquer, *v. t.* Ku pambana; ku gonjetsa.
Conquered, To be. *To acknowledge as a superior,* Ku gonja.
Conqueror, *n.* Wopambana, opambana; wogonjetsa.
Conquest, *n.* Kugonjetsa.
Conscience, *n.* Kudzidziwitsa, madzidziwitso.
Conscious, To be, *v. i.* Ku dzidziwa.
Consecrate, *v. t.* *To set apart,* Ku ika; ku ikidwa.
—— *To make holy,* Ku yeretsa. *Things consecrated to the Lord,* Zintu ziikidwa kwa Mwini.
Consecration, *n.* Kuyeretsa.
Consent, *v. i.* *To accord in mind,* Ku bvomera.
—— *To consent to a proposal,* Ku lola; ku lonjezana. *I consent to your proposal,* Dilonjezana ndi mau ako.
—— *n.* Kulola; kubvomera; ndi ntima umodzi.
Conservation, *n.* *Preservation from loss,* Kupulumutsa.
Conserve, *v. t.* *To preserve,* Ku pulumutsa.
Consider, *v. i.* *To ponder or meditate on a subject,* Ku ganiza ndi.
—— *v. t.* *To think upon, by looking carefully at,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To esteem,* Ku weruza.
Consolation, *n.* *Comfort,* Kusangalatsa; kuiwaza. *The son of consolation,* Mwana wa kusangalatsa.
Console, *v. t.* *To comfort,* Ku sangalatsa.
—— *As a child when its mother is dead,* Ku iwaza.
Consort, *v. i.* Ku patika.
Conspiracy, *n.* *Plot,* Kunje, (la) makunje; tshikunje, dzikunje. *The conspiracy was strong,* Kunje linali lolimba.
Conspirator, *n.* Wakunje, akunje.
Conspire, *v. i.* Ku gwirizana. *They conspired that they might kill him,* Anagwirizana monga kuti anangompa.
Constable, *n.* Wodikira, odikira.
Consternation, *n.* *Fear, wonder,* Kuopa; kuzizwa. *I was seized with consternation,* Dinagwidwa ndi kuopa.
Constitute, *v. t.* *To appoint, to establish,* Ku ika; ku loeza.
Constitution, *n.* *Of body,* Makalidwe.
Constrain, *v. t.* Ku fulumiza; ku umirira.
Constraint, *n.* Kufulumiza.
Construct, *v. t.* *To build up,* Ku manga; ku panga. *To construct an edifice,* Ku manga nyumba.
Construction, *n.* Kumanga, mamango.
Consul, *n.* *Magistrate,* Kazembe, akazembe.
Consult, *v. t.* *To hear one another,* Ku mvana.

Consult, *v. t. To take counsel together,* Ku gazitsana *and* gasitsana.
—— *To consult together privately,* Ku gazitsana kwakutseri.
—— *To consult, or to ask advice from,* Ku funa ku weruzidwa.
Consultation, *n.* Kugazitsana.
Consume, *v. t. To destroy,* Ku sakaza ; ku mwaza.
—— *To waste, to eat up, to finish,* Ku sakaza ; ku mariza.
—— *By fire,* Ku psa.
—— *Of fire only,* Ku nyeka.
—— **entirely.** *Of fire only,* Ku nyeketsa.
—— *v. i. To consume, or pine away, to waste away, as by sickness,* Ku onda.
Consummation, *n.* Kuta ; kumariza.
—— *By fire only,* Kunyeka.
Contact, *n.* Kutosa.
Contagion, *n.* Uliri. *A contagious disease,* Ntenda wauliri. *The contagion of smallpox,* Uliri wa ntomba.
Contagious. -*A*uliri.
Contain, *v. i.* Ku kala ndi ; ku limo.
—— *To receive,* Ku landira.
—— *To hold, keep,* Ku sunga.
Contaminate, *v. t.* Ku detsa.
Contemn, *v. t. To despise,* Ku nyoza.
—— *To abuse,* Ku puta.
Contempt, *n.* Kunyoza.
—— *Folly, delight in wickedness,* Tshitsiru ; utsiru.
Contemptible, *a.* -*O*nyozedwa ; -*O*nyansidwa.
Contemptuous, *a. To be haughty and insolent,* -*O*dzitama -obalawaza.
—— **person,** *n.* Muntu wodzitama, odzitama.
Contend, *v. t.* Ku yesa.
—— *With one another,* Ku menyana.
—— *Emulate,* Ku limbana.
—— *In words,* Ku kangana *and* ku kanganitsana.
Contend, *v. i. Earnestly,* Ku kanganitsa.
Contender, *n.* Wakuyesa, akuyesa.
Content, *v. i. To be content, or to assent to remain,* Ku sekera ; ku sekerera.
—— *v. t.* Ku sekeretsa ; ku sanyanyalitsa. *He was content to remain there,* Anasekera ku kala apo.
—— *To be satisfied with, uncomplaining,* Kusasoa, kusanyanyala.
—— *n. Assent,* Kusekera ; kusekerera.
—— *Uncomplaining,* Kusanyanyala.
Contented, *a.* -*O*sekera.
Contention, *n.* Kuyesa ; makani.
Contentious, *a.* -*A*ndeu.
Contentiously, *adv.* Kwandeu.
Contentment, *n.* Kusekera.
Contest, *v. t.* Ku yesa.
—— *n. Trial,* Kuyesa.
—— *Fight,* Kumenyana.
Continence, } *n.* Kudzinga.
Continency, }
Continent, *a.* -*O*dzinga.
—— *v. i.* Ku dzinga.
Continually, *adv.* Kwa ntawi ; ntawi zonse. *You are continually crying,* Ulikulirira ntawi zonse.
Continuance, *n. Expressed by* de *or* be, *as suffix to verb or noun.*
Continue, *v. i.* Ku kalabe. *Continue working until you have finished,* Utshitabe kwa ntawi wamariza.
—— *Continue in a place,* Ku kala. *Go you on before, but I will continue here,* Pita iwe patsogolo, koma ine, dikala pano.
—— *v. t. To continue an operation or pursuit, by renewing it after some temporary interruption,* Ku tshitatshita ; *also formed by adding* nso *to the verb. Then spake he again unto them,* Ndimo nanenanso ndi awo ; *or,* ndimo nanena anso ndi awo.

Contract, *v. t. To bargain,* Ku pangana ; ku lonjezana.
—— *To shorten,* Ku fupitsa.
—— *v. i. To shrink up, to grow shorter,* Ku uma ; ku fupika.
—— *In width, as a road, river, or lake,* Ku sota.
—— *n. An agreement,* Kulonjezana (*mutual promising*).
—— *An engagement or covenant obligation,* Kupangana.
Contraction, *n.* Kusota.
Contradict, *v. t.* Ku sutsa *and* tsutsa ; ku dzudzula.
Contradiction, *n.* Tsutso *and* sutso, (la) masutso.
Contraries. *Opposites,* Malinga.
Contrariety, *n.* Kulekana *kwao.*
Contrariwise, *a. Of trees,* Koduliza ; kodulitsa.
Contrary, *a. Inconsistent with,* -*O*lekana ; -*O*kana. *A contrary person,* Muntu wokana.
—— *Of wind,* -*A*patsogolo.
—— *n. That which opposes,* -Okana; -okaniza; -*a*pa. *Things contrary to law,* Zintu za pa mau.
—— *v. i.* Ku lingana.
Contribute, *v. i.* Ku patsa.
Contribution, *n.* Kupatsa.
—— *Collection,* Song'kanitso, (la) masong'kanitso.
Contrite, *a.* -*O*lapa.
Contrivance, *n.* Tintu, (la) matintu.
Contrive, *v. i.* Ku tshita tintu.
Control, *v. t. To restrain oneself,* Ku gwira ; ku kweza ; ku dziweruza.
—— *To govern,* Ku weruza.
—— *n. Self-control,* Kudziweruza.
Controversy, *n.* Mrandu, mirandu.
—— *Disputing,* Kukangana.
Controvert, *v. t.* Ku kanira.
Contumacious, *a.* -*A*likanikani.
Contumacy, *n.* Likanikani, (la) malikanikani.
Convalescence, *n.* Kutshiritsa.
Convene, *v. t. To gather together,* Ku song'kanitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku song'kana.
Convenient, *a.* -*A*bwino.
Converge, *v. i.* Ku komana ; ku song'kana.
Conversation, *n.* Kunena ; kula nkulana.
Conversational, *a.* -*O*lankulana.
Converse, *v. i. To commune,* Ku lankulana.
Conversion, *n.* Kutembenuza ; kutembenuka ; kupinduliza.
Convert, *v. t.* Ku sanduliza ; ku tembenuza ; ku pinduliza.
—— *v. i.* Ku sanduka ; ku pindulizidwa.
—— *n.* Wopinduka, opinduka ; wosanduka, osanduka.
Convey, *v. t. To carry from one place to another,* Ku nyamula.
Convict, *v. t. At court,* Ku tshimika.
—— *To condemn,* Ku sutsa.
Conviction, *n. Legal conviction,* Kutshimika.
—— *Of sin,* Kulapitsika.
Convince, *v. t. To satisfy by evidence,* Ku sonyeza ; ku dziwitsa.
—— *By argument,* Ku sonyeza.
Convoke, *v. t. To summon,* Ku itana.
Convoy, *v. t.* Ku tsagana nai' ; ku perekeza.
Cony, *n. A rock rabbit,* Bira, zimbira.
Cook, *v. t.* Ku pika.
—— *To cook for another,* Ku pikira.
—— *n.* Wopika, opika ; wopikira, opikira.
Cool, *v. t.* Ku ziziritsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku zizira.
—— *a.* -*O*zizira.
Coolness, *n.* Kuzizira.
Co-operate, *v. t.* Ku tshita ni.
Cope, *v. t. To contend, to wrestle with,* Ku dzedzemetsana.
Copious, *a.* -*A*mbiri.
Copiously, *adv.* Kwambiri.

Copper, *n.* Nsambo ; safuli, safuli zambiri.
Coppersmith, *n.* Wosula nsambo, osula nsambo.
Copse, *n.* *A wood of low growth,* Mtengo.
Copulate, *v. i.* *Of goats and cattle,* Ku memesana ; *of male,* Ku memesa ; *of female,* Ku memesedwa.
—— *Of dogs,* Ku kwerana; *of male,* Ku kwera ; *of female,* Ku kweredwa.
—— *Of birds,* Ku tshetsheretsana ; *of male,* Ku tshetsheretsa ; *of female,* Ku tshetsheretsedwa.
—— *Of mankind,* Ku tshindana ; *of male,* Ku tshinda ; *of female,* Ku tshindidwa.
Copy, *v. t.* Ku fanizira.
—— *To imitate,* Ku faniza ; ku tsauza.
—— *n.* Sonyezo, (la) masonyezo.
Copy-book, *n.* Buku la masonyezo.
Cord, *v. t.* *To tie with a rope,* Ku manga ndi tshingwe.
—— *n.* *String or small cord,* Tshingwe, dzingwe.
Core, *n.* *Of fruit,* Tanga, zintanga.
Cork, *n.* Korke, (la) makorke.
—— *v. t.* *To bottle,* Ku tseka.
Corn, *n.* *General term,* Tshintu, dzintu.
—— *Wheat,* Trigu.
—— *Maize,* Tshimanga, zimanga.
Corner, *n.* *Angle of a room, also outside of a building,* Ngondia, zingondia.
—— *A recess,* Komo, (la) makomo.
—— *of cloth,* Tshipe, dzipe.
—— *n.* *Of street,* Mphambano, zimphambano.
Corn fields, *n.* Munda, minda.
—— *A maize field,* Munda wa tshimanga.
—— **basket.** Mtanga, mitanga.
—— **store.** Nkokwe, zinkokwe.
Cornice of room, *n.* Nkombero, mikombero.
Corps, *n.* *Body of troops,* Gulu la ankhondo.
Corpse, *n.* *A dead body,* Ntembo, mitembo.
Corpulence, *n.* *Excessive fatness,* Kupunduka.
Corpulent, *a.* *-O*punduka.
Correct, *v. t.* *To punish,* Ku langa.
—— *To correct by reproof,* Ku sulumula.
—— *By instruction,* Ku punzitsa.
—— *v. i.* *To correct oneself and amend,* Ku tembenuka.
—— *v. t.* *Amend, to correct a mistake,* Ku fotokoza ; ku konza.
—— *a.* *Proper, -A*bwino.
Correction, *n.* *Punishment,* Kulanga.
—— *Reproof,* Kusulumula.
—— *The turning back from error,* Kulungumitsa ; kufotokoza.
Correctly, *adv.* Kwabwino.
Corrector, *n.* *A reprover,* Wolungunitsa, olungunitsa ; wosulumula, osulumula.
—— *A corrector of error by instruction,* Mpunzitsi, apunzitsi.
—— *By repairing,* Wakufotokoza, akufotokoza.
Correspond, *v. i.* *To suit, to fit,* Ku komana ndi.
—— *To correspond with, to be like,* Ku faniza ; ku fanizira.
—— *To correspond by letter,* Ku lemba kwa.
—— *To answer, agree with,* Ku fanira.
Correspondence, *n.* *Fitness,* Kuenedwa.
—— *Likeness,* Kufaniza.
—— *By letter,* Kulemba ; epistola, maepistola.
Corrupt, *v. t.* *To deprave,* Ku bvunditsa ; ku ipsa.
—— *To cause putrescence,* Ku bvunditsa.
—— *To adulterate,* Ku sang'kaniza.

Corrupt, *v. i.* *To become putrid,* Ku bvunda ; ku nyansa.
Corruptible, *a.* -*O*bvunda.
Corruption, *n.* Kubvunda. *Corrupt matter or pus in a sore or ulcer,* Mafinya.
—— *Slough,* Tshibvunde, dzibvunde.
Cost, *n.* Ntengo, mitengo.
Costliness, *n.* Kutshuruka kwa ntengo.
Costly, *a.* -*O*lemera ; ntengo wapatali.
—— *adv.* Kolemera.
Cottage, *n.* Nyumba, zinyumba.
Cotton, *n.* *For sewing,* Ntoinji ; tshingwe.
—— *Raw unmanufactured cotton,* Ntoinji *and* tonji, (la) matonji.
Couch, *n.* Kama, akama ; kama wang'ono.
—— *v. i.* *To stoop down,* Ku butwama.
Cough, *n.* Kukosamula ; kusokamula ; ku tsokomola.
—— *v. i.* Ku kosamula ; ku tsokomola ; ku sokamula.
Could, *v.* *Able or with power to do,* Li ndi mpamvu.
—— *Auxil. verb formed by* Ku dziwa.
Could not, *Was not possible, unable to accomplish,* Ku sadziwa.
Council, *n.* Gulu la ankoswe *or* gulu la ambiri, magulu a ankoswe, magulu a ambiri.
—— *A secret council,* Gulu la ankoswe lakubisidwa.
Councillor, *n.* Nkoswe, ankoswe ; mbiri, ambiri ; mkulu, akulu.
Counsel, *n.* *Advice,* Kuweruza.
—— *v. t.* *To advise,* Ku weruza.
—— *To instruct,* Ku punzitsa.
—— *To argue,* Ku gazitsana.
Counsellor, *n.* Woweruza, oweruza ; mpunzitsi, apunzitsi.
Count, *v. t.* Ku werenga.
Countenance, *n.* Nkope, zinkope.
Countless, *a.* -*O*sawereng'jeka ; -*o*sadziwa ku werenga.
Country, *n.* *Belonging to a nation or people,* Dziko, (la) maiko.
—— *As distinguished from the town,* Munda, minda.
—— *An open, uninhabited country,* Tshipululu, dzipululu.
Countryman, *n.* *Fellow,* Wafuko la.
Couple, *n.* *Two of the same kind, a pair, as a man and his wife ; a male and female of the same species,* Uwiri.
—— *v. t.* *To join,* Ku kolowetsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku koloweka.
Courage, *n.* Kulimbika ; kulimbika ntima ; kulimba ntima.
—— *Reckless courage,* Kudzedzeduka.
Courageous, *a.* -*O*limbika ; -*o*limbika ntima.
—— *a.* *Reckless, foolhardy,* -*O*dzedzeduka.
Courageously, *adv.* Kolimbika ; kolimbika ntima.
Courier, *n.* Mtenga, mitenga.
Course, *v. t.* Ku saka nyama ndi agaru.
—— *n.* *Way,* Kupita ; njira.
—— *Age of the world,* Kugonera, magonero.
Court. *The residence of royalty,* Bumba ya fumu.
—— *House,* Kuka kwa fumu.
—— *A law court,* Bwalo, pabwalo; mpala, zimpala.
—— *v. t.* *To woo,* Ku pala bwenzi.
Courteous, *a.* Ndi ulemu.
Courtesy, *n.* Ulemu, (wa) maulemu.
Courtier, *n.* Wopala, opala.
—— *One residing at court,* Mbiri, ambiri.
Courtship, *n.* *Really, asking and consenting,* Kupalana ; ubwenzi.
Cousin, *n.* Nsuani, asuani.
Cove, *n.* Bondo, mabondo. *N.B.* **b** *is retained in the plural when the word has this meaning, but is thrown out when* bondo *means* a knee.

Covenant, *n.* *A mutual agreement,* Kupangana mapangano; kulonjezana.
—— *Testament,* Testamente, (wa) matestamente.
—— *v. i.* *To bargain,* Ku pangana.
—— **breaker.** Wakuswa mapangano.
Cover, *n.* *For hiding from view,* Tshobisira, zobisira.
—— *For body,* Kupfundira; tshopfundira, zopfundira.
—— *For the head, so as to hide the face,* Tshopimba, zopimba.
—— *The leaves covering the stalks of maize,* Koko, (la) makoko.
—— *v. t.* *As a dish or pot,* Ku fundikila *and* ku bvundikila.
—— *To cover so as to cover the person,* Ku fundira.
—— *Conceal from view,* Ku bisa.
—— *To cover the head with a veil,* Ku pinda.
—— *As a pit, by filling up,* Ku kwirira.
Covering, *n.* *Of a dish or pot,* Tshifundikila, zifundilika; tshibvundikilo, dzibvundikilo.
Covert, *n.* *A shelter from sight or from wind,* Tshotsitira.
—— *From the sun,* Tshopimba, dzopimba.
—— *A hiding-place,* Malo obisala; malo opulukira.
Covertly, *adv.* Kobisa; kotseri; kutseri (?).
Covet, *v. t.* Ku sirira.
Covetous, *a.* -*O*sirira.
Covetousness, *n.* Kusirira.
Cow, *n.* Ng'ombe yeikazi.
Coward, *n.* Wotshita manta, otshita manta; wamanta, amanta; wakuopa, akuopa.
Cowardice, *n.* Manta.
Cowardly, *adv.* Kwamanta.
Cow-hide, *n.* Tshikopa tsha ng'ombe, dzikopa dza ng'ombe.
Coxcomb, *n.* *A fop,* Muntu wodzitama, odzitama.
Coy, *a.* -*A*manyazi.
Crab, *n.* Nkanu, zinkanu.
Crack, *n.* *A sudden sound, as of a whip or the striking of a dog-head of a rifle,* Kuvwipula.
—— *A fissure or flaw,* Ndala, mindala.
—— *v. t.* *To cause a sudden sound,* Ku omba.
—— *To break,* Ku swa.
—— *To split,* Ku ng'amba.
—— *v. i.* *To split,* Ku ng'ambika.
—— *From the action of sun or wind,* Ku teteka.
—— *As stones in a fire,* Ku teteka.
Crackle, *v. i.* *As thorns in a fire,* Ku tutulika.
Craft, *n.* *Trade,* Umisiri (wa).
—— *Fraud,* Tshinyengo, dzinyengo.
—— *Cunning,* Kutshenjera.
Craftily, *adv.* Kotshenjera.
Craftiness, *n.* Kutshenjera.
—— *Guile,* Kusenyenga.
Craftsman, *n.* Waluso, aluso.
Crag, *n.* Phompo, (la) maphompo.
Cram, *v. t.* *To stuff, as a sack,* Ku tsendera.
—— *To cram with food,* Ku tsendera.
—— *To fill oneself with food,* Ku kutitsa.
Crane, *n.* *The crested crane,* Garu *and* galu, zingaru.
—— *The white crane,* Kakoa, akakoa.
Crash, *n.* *A loud noise,* Kukukuma.
Crave, *v. t.* *To ask for earnestly,* Ku umirira.
—— *To desire earnestly, or with appetite,* Ku funa.
—— *To crave greedily,* Ku funitsa.
Craw, *n.* *The crop of birds,* Tshidokomiro, dzidokomiro.
Crawl, *v. i.* *As reptiles,* Ku kwawa.
—— *To move slowly through weakness,* Ku nyangama.
—— *On the hands or knees,* Ku kwawa.

Create, *v. t.* *To make,* Ku panga.
Creation, *n.* Kupanga.
Creator, *n.* Wopanga, opanga.
—— *God as Creator,* Mpambi.
Creature, *n.* Nyama, zinyama.
—— *As regards having life,* Wamoyo, amoyo.
—— *Anything made,* Tshopangidwa, zopangidwa.
Credence, *n.* *Belief,* Mvanu.
Credentials, *n.* Zizindikilo.
Creditor, *n.* Wagongole, agongole.
Creed, *n.* Tshodziwa.
Creek, *n.* Mlonga, milonga.
Creep, *v. i.* Ku kwawa.
—— *To creep along slowly and slyly, as a cat,* Ku wenda.
Creeper, *n.* *A running plant,* Ntawi, mitawi.
Creeping creature, *n.* Tshokwawa, zokwawa.
Crest, *n.* Tsumba, (la) matsumba.
Crested, *a.* -*A*tsumba.
Crevice, *n.* *A small crack,* Berewere, (la) maberewere.
Crib, *n.* *A manger,* Ndiero, midiero.
Cricket, *n.* *Large,* Mburuzi, aburuzi.
Crier, *n.* Wopfula, opfula; wopitiriza mau a fumu.
Crime, *n.* *Fault,* Tshimo, (la) matshimo.
Criminal, *n.* Watshimo, atshimo.
—— *a.* -*A*tshimo, -otshimwa.
Criminally, *adv.* Kwatshimo; kotshimwa.
Criminate, *v. t.* Ku tshimika.
Crimson, *a.* -*O*fira.
—— *Calico,* Nkanzo, zinkanzo; mlangali, milangali.
Cripple, *v. t.* Ku pundutsa.
—— *n.* Muntu wopunduka muendo.
Croak, *v. i.* Ku buma.
Croaking, *a.* -*O*buma.
—— *n.* Kubuma.
—— *Of a man croaking,* Muntu waukamwa.
Crocodile, *n.* Ng'ona, zing'ona.
Crook, *n.* *For hanging things on,* Mpanda, zimpanda.
—— *v. t.* *To bend,* Ku pinda; ku peta.
Crook-back, *n.* *When bent inwards,* Muntu wambina.
—— *When bent outward, humpback,* Wotshoka nsana.
Crooked, *a.* -*O*kotakota.
Crookedly, *adv.* Kokotakota.
Crookedness, *n.* Kukotakota kwatshi.
Crop, *n.* *Of a bird,* Tshidokomiro, dzidokomiro; kasope, akasope.
—— *The harvest,* Masika. *The millet harvest,* Masika a mapira. *The maize harvest,* Masika a dzimanga.
—— *v. t.* *To reap,* Ku tema *mapira;* ku kolola *dzimanga.*
Cross, *n.* *A straight body crossing another,* Nkhwitshi, zinkhwitshi.
—— *v. t.* *To lay one thing athwart another,* Ku ika koduliza.
—— *By taking a long sweep or curve,* Ku pingasa. *To cross a river,* Ku yambuka; ku oloka. *To cross the lake,* Ku dutsa.
—— *a.* *Perverse, contrary,* -*O*kana; -okanika.
—— *Ill-humoured,* -*O*karipa.
—— *Of a child,* *O*padzuka.
Crossness, *n.* *Perverseness,* Kupadzuka; kukanika.
—— *Ill-humour,* Kukaripa; kuda.
Crouch, *v. i.* *To sit in a stooping position,* Ku butwama; ku beta.
Crow, *n.* *The cock's voice,* Liu la tambala; kulira kwa tambala.
—— *v. t.* *As a cock,* Ku lira.
—— *To boast, to brag,* Ku balawaza.
—— *n.* Nkungubwe *and* kungubwi.
Crowd, *n.* Antu ambiri; nkamu *almost equal to nation.*
—— *v. i.* Ku unjikana.
—— *v. t.* *To press close together, so as to obstruct progress,* Ku tshimizana; ku titimizana.

Crown, *n.* Tshisoti tshotshuka, zisoti zotshuka; diadema, (la) madiadema.
Crucifixion, *n.* Kupatshikidwa; kupatshikwa.
Crucify, *v. t.* Ku patshika.
Crude, *a.* -*O*tsalira.
Cruel, *a.* -*A*nkarwe.
—— *To be cruel,* Ku karipa.
Crumb, *n.* Nyenyeswa, zinyenyeswa.
Crunch, *v. t.* *To chew,* Ku swa; ku kukuta.
Cruse, *n.* *Of oil,* Nsupa, zinsupa.
Crush, *v. t.* *With violence, as under the foot,* Ku pondereza; ku psinya.
—— *To crush a hard substance, as a stone,* Ku swa.
—— *By pressing,* Ku psinya.
—— *To crush a soft substance, as an insect, under the foot,* Ku pondereza; ku sitamiza.
Crust, *n.* Kutsala.
Cry, *v. i. and v. t.* *To call to a person,* Ku itana.
—— *To weep,* Ku lira; *fully,* Ku lira nsozi *and* misozi.
—— *To proclaim,* Ku pfula.
—— *To cry out, as with pain,* Ku lira.
—— *To cry for mercy,* Ku pempa.
—— *To cry out for joy,* Ku pfula ndi kusekera.
—— *n.* *A lamentation,* Kupfula, mapfulo.
—— *A lamentation for the dead,* Maliro.
—— *A rejoicing,* Kupfula kwakusekera; kwakukondwera.
—— *A crying child,* Kulira; mwana wakulira.
Cud, *n.* *Of the cow,* Masanzi; *and* masanzi a maudzu.
—— *v.* *To chew the cud,* Ku jigula.
Cuddle, *v. t.* *To lie close together,* Ku fungumirana.
Cudgel, *n.* Nkunku, mikunku.
—— *v. t.* Ku umbudza.
Cull, *v. t.* Ku tsha, *malua, flowers.*
Culpability, *n.* Mphwaiyu, zimphwaiyu.
Culpable, *a.* -*A*mphwaiyu.
Culprit, *n.* Wotshimwa, otshimwa.
Cultivate, *v. t.* Ku lima.
Cultivation, *n.* Ulimi.
—— *Cultivated lands,* Munda, minda.
Cultivator, *n.* Wolima, olima; wotshita m' munda, otshita m' munda.
Cumber, *v. t.* *To obstruct,* Ku tshedwetsa.
—— *To cumber the ground,* Ku sakaza ntaka.
—— *To perplex, embarrass,* Ku sokaniza.
—— *To frighten by reports,* Ku opetsa.
Cumbrance, *n.* *Obstruction,* Tshotshedwetsa, dzotshedwetsa.
—— *Perplexity,* Kusokaniza.
—— *Hindrance, weight,* Tsholemedwa, zolemedwa.
Cumulate, *v. t.* *To heap up,* Ku unjika.
—— *To augment, as riches or goods,* Ku tshurukitsa.
Cunning, *n.* *Skill and device,* Nzeru, zinzeru.
—— *Slyness, artfulness,* Kutshenjera.
—— *a.* *Skilful,* -*A*nzeru.
—— *Artful, sly,* -*O*tshenjera. *A cunning, sly fellow,* Muntu wotshenjera.
—— *Treacherous,* -*O*nyengera.
Cup, *v. t.* *To scarify and draw blood,* Ku lumika mwazi. *To dry cup,* Ku lumika.
—— *n.* Tshiko, ziko.
Cur, *n.* *A small dog,* Kagaru.
—— *Pup,* Nkanda, zinkanda.
Curd, *n.* *Coagulated milk,* Nkaka wolimba.
Cure, *v. t.* *To cure of sickness,* Ku tshiritsa.
—— *To cure or heal a wound,* Ku poletsa mbala.

Cure, *n.* *Of the person from sickness,* Ku tshira.
Curious, *a.* *Strange, wonderful,* -*O*zizwa.
—— *Magical,* -*A*tsenga.
Curl, *v. t.* *The hair,* Ku pota; ku luka.
—— *To dress and work up the hair into knots and knobs,* Ku teka munzu, *plur.* minzu.
—— *To plait the hair,* Ku twa.
—— *n.* Kosi ya tsisi, kosi za tsisi.
Current, *n.* *A stream,* Kuenda. *A strong current,* Nkhwenkwe. *A very strong stream or current,* Ntsinje wa nkhwenkwe.
—— *A small, gently flowing stream,* Ntsinje wopanda nkhwenkwe.
Currier, *n.* Wofufuta dzikopa, ofufuta dzikopa.
Curry, *v. t.* *To prepare a hide for dressing by scraping,* Ku pala.
—— *To dress a skin for leather,* Ku fufuta.
Curse, *v. t.* *To doom,* Ku lamula.
—— *To call foul names,* Ku tukwana.
—— *n.* Kulamula; tukwano, (la) matukwano.
Curt, *v. i.* *To be,* Ku tuzula.
—— *a.* -*O*tuzula.
Curtain, *v. t.* *To enclose with a curtain,* Ku tshinga.
—— *n.* Nsaru yotshinjira, nsaru zotshinjira.
Curtly, *adv.* Kotuzula.
Curvet, *v. i.* *To gracefully bend the body, as in dancing, or as a horse in prancing,* Ku takasika; ku gwedezeka.
Custom, *n.* *Established manner,* Makalidwe; mwambi, miambi; Ntengo, mitengo.
—— *Tax, duty, dues,* Tsong'ko, (la) matsong'ko; lipiro, malipiro.
—— *v. t.* *To pay custom or duty,* Ku song'ka.
Customably, *adv.* Kwamakalidwe.
Cut (corn), *v. t.* Ku senga (dzintu.
—— **(grass),** *v. t.* Ku tema. *To cut to the heart,* Ku myuka ntima.
—— *To separate by an edged instrument,* Ku dula.
—— *To cut down,* Ku dula.
—— *To cut longitudinally,* Ku ng'amba.
—— *To cut off, and across, by a single blow,* Ku senga.
——*By a sawing motion,* Ku tsheka.
—— *To cut thongs from a skin,* Ku lemba.
—— *To cut or dress a millstone,* Ku anga mpero.
—— *To cut open, as a boil or tumour,* Ku tumbula.
—— *To cut in two with an axe, as a sheep or ox for meat,* Ku ng'amba.
—— *To cut deep, to gash,* Ku lasa.
—— *To cut into small pieces, to mince,* Ku nyinya.
Cuticle, *n.* *The epidermis,* Kungu lakunja.
—— *Scales of epidermis,* Fufu zambiri.
Cymbal, *n.* Simbale, (la) masimbale.

D

D has in Chinyanja the sound of *d* in *dock.*
Dab, *v. t.* *To hit gently with the hand, to dot over,* Ku dontokeza.
—— *To spatter,* Ku tsira.
Dagger, *n.* Mpeni, mipeni; mpeni wang'ono wa nkondo.
Daily, *adv.* Siku ndi siku; masiku onse.
Daintily, *adv.* *Nicely, elegantly,* Konyanyata.
Dainty, *a.* -*A*bwino.
Dally, *v. i.* Ku tshedwadala.

Dam, *n.* *The mother of beasts,* Amai ; ama*tshi.*
—— *A structure to obstruct a current of water,* Donga, (la) madonga.
—— *v. t.* Ku tseka ntsinje.
Damage, *n.* *To the person,* Kupweteketsa.
—— *To property,* Kusakaza.
—— *v. t.* *To destroy,* Ku sakaza ; ku mwaza.
Damn, *v. t.* *To doom,* Ku sutsa.
—— *To pronounce doom,* Ku lamula.
Damnation, *n.* Kusutsa.
Damp, *v. t.* *To make damp,* Ku waza.
—— *a.* *As cloth,* -*A*nyonto.
Dampness, *n.* Nyonto, minyonto.
Dance, *v. i.* Ku bvina.
—— *n.* Kubvina; ng'oma, zing'oma.
Dandle, *v. t.* *As a child,* Ku sususa.
Danger, *n.* Kutsetsherezwa ; kutsekereza, matsekerezo.
—— *Peril,* Panikizo, (la) mapanikizo.
—— *v. i.* *To be in,* Ku sekerezwa *and* ku setsherezwa.
—— *Escaped from, hence good luck or fortune,* Mwai; madzidzi.
—— *Proving fatal, hence bad luck or fortune,* Tsoka.
Dangerous, *a.* Ndi kutsekerezwa ; -otsekerezwa.
Dare, *v. t.* *To try,* Ku yesa.
—— *To defy, to despise,* Ku msera ntima.
Daring, *n.* *To have courage for an undertaking,* Kulimbika ntima.
Daringly, *adv.* Kolimbika *and* kolimbika ntima.
Dark, *a.* -*A*ndima ; -*A*kuda.
Darkened, *a.* -*O*detsedwa.
Darkly, *adv.* Kodetsa.
Darkness, *n.* Ndima ; kuda.
Darling, *n.* Kankondwe.
Dart, *n.* Mubvi, mibvi.
Dash against, *v. i.* Ku gunda.
—— **to pieces,** *v. t.* Ku dzwadzwada.
—— **down on ground.** Ku kung'kuniza.
Dastard, *n.* Tshirombo.
Dastardliness, *n.* Utshirombo.
Dastardly, *adv.* Kwatshirombo.
Daub, *v. t.* *To smear with soft adhesive matter,* Ku kwakwatiza.
—— *Plaster,* Ku tsira.
Daughter, *n.* Mwana wankazi, ana ankazi.
Dawdle, *v. i.* *To waste time,* Ku tshedwadala.
Dawn, *v. i.* Ku tsha, *probably to lighten.*
—— *n.* *The first dawn of day,* Mbanda kutsha.
—— *Red dawn, the aurora of the morning,* Kufuna kutsha kwafira.
Day, *n.* *Of twenty-four hours,* Siku, masiku. *In the day,* Msana.
—— *As distinguished from night,* Dzua, madzua.
Dayspring, *n.* Mbanda kutsha.
Dazzle, *v. t.* *To overpower with light,* Ku tobwa.
Dazzling, *a.* *Shining,* -*O*wala ; -owaliwali ; -otobwa.
Dead, *a.* -*O*fa ; -akufa.
—— *n.* *The dead,* Wakufa, akufa.
Deadly, *a.* -*A*kupa.
Deaf, *a.* -*O*gonta.
—— *n.* *A deaf person,* Gonti agonti.
—— **To be.** Ku gonta. *A deaf and dumb person,* Muntu wogonta ndi wosalankula.
Deafness, *n.* Kugonta.
Deal, *v. t.* *To distribute, to apportion,* Ku gawa ; ku patsa.
—— **with.** Ku tshita ndi.
Dear, *a.* *In price,* Ndi ntengo wapatali.
—— *Beloved,* -*O*kondwa.
—— *Dear unto oneself,* Wokondedwa wanga.

Death, *n.* *Cessation of life,* Imfa, zimfa.
—— **stroke,** *n.* Mkakato wa imfa.
Debar, *v. t.* *To hinder approach to,* Ku tseka.
—— *To prevent from entering,* Ku kana ; ku kaniza.
Debase, *v. t.* *To lower in quality or value,* Ku tshita njiru.
—— *To make bad, mean, or despicable,* Ku ipitsa.
—— *To lower in rank or estimation,* Ku tshepetsa.
Debate, *v. t.* *As in a* mrandu, ku tsutsana.
—— *n.* Kugasitsana *and* kugazitsana.
Debilitate, *v. t.* *To weaken,* Ku foketsa.
—— *To enfeeble,* Ku lemetsa ; ku vepea.
Debilitated, *a.* -*O*foketsedwa.
Debility, *n.* Kuvepea ; kufoka.
Debt, *n.* Ngawa, *seldom used in sing.,* mangawa ; gong'gole, zigong'gole *and* zingong'gole.
Debtor, *n.* Wamangawa, amangawa ; wang'gong'goli.
Decade, *n.* *Of years,* Dzaka kumi.
Decalogue, *n.* Mau kumi a Mulungu.
Decamp, *v. i.* *To remove from one place to another on a journey,* Ku sinta ; ku tshoka.
Decapitate, *v. t.* Ku dula mutu.
Decay, *v. i.* *To decline, to waste away,* Ku onda.
—— *To become corrupt,* Ku bvunda.
—— *To fail, as the strength of an aged person,* Ku ta.
—— *To dry up, as a leaf,* Ku uma.
Decease, *n.* Imfa, zimfa.
Deceased, *a.* -*A*fa.
Deceit, *n.* *Fraud,* Tshinyengo, dzinyengo.
Deceitful, *a.* -*A*tshinyengo, -*o*nyenga.
Deceitfully, *adv.* Konyenga.
Deceitfulness, *n.* Kunyenga ; tshinyengo.
Deceive, *v. t.* Ku nyenga.
Deceiver, *n.* Watshinyengo, atshinyengo ; wakunyenga, akunyenga ; wonyenga, onyenga.
Decency, *n.* *Of behaviour,* Manyazi.
—— *Of appearance,* Kubvalitsa.
Decently, *adv.* *Properly,* Kolinganira.
Deception, *n.* Kunyenga, tshinyengo.
Decide, *v. t.* *To end, to determine the matter,* Ku mariza.
—— *v. i.* Ku ta ; ku mara.
Decision, *n.* *Judicial,* Kulamula.
—— *Opinion, final judgment,* Kumariza.
Deck, *v. t.* *To adorn the person,* Ku konza ; ku bvalira.
—— *To adorn another,* Ku konzetsa.
Decked, *a.* *Ornamented,* -*O*konzetsedwa.
Declaim, *v. i.* *To give a formal address,* Ku uza.
Declaimer, *n.* Wouza, ouza.
Declaration, *n.* Kuuza, mauzo.
Declare, *v. i.* Ku uza.
Decorate, *v. t.* Ku konza.
Decoration, *n.* Kukonza.
Decorous, *a.* *Becoming,* -*O*linganira.
Decorticate, *v. t.* Ku sadzula.
Decorum, *n.* Kulinganira.
Decoy, *v. t.* *To lure to evil,* Ku itanira ; ku nyenga.
—— *n.* Tshonyengera *and* tshonyenjera.
Decrease, *v. i.* Ku nyala ; ku tshepa.
—— *Of corn and flour,* Ku tera.
—— *v. t.* *Of corn and flour,* Ku teretsa.
—— Ku tshepetsa.
—— *Shaken,* Ku fipitsa.

Decree, *v. t.* *To decide judicially,* Ku mariza.
—— *To promulgate an edict or law,* Ku uza.
—— *To constitute by edict or custom,* Ku lamula.
—— *n.* *Judicial decision,* Marizo, (la) mamarizo.
—— *Established law or rule,* Mau ; kuuza, mauzo.
Dedicate, *v. t.* *To set apart,* Ku ika ; ku sauka.
—— *To set apart for a purpose,* Ku ika ; ku sonyeza.
Dedication, *n.* Kusonyeza. *Feast of Dedication,* Kudia kwa kusonyeza.
Deed, *n.* *Act,* Ntshito, zintshito.
Deep, *n.* Kuya.
—— *a.* -*O*ya ; -*a*kuya.
—— *v. i.* *To take deep root,* Ku zikitsa.
Deepness, *n.* *Depth,* Kuya.
Deer, *n.* *An antelope,* Nyama, zinyama.
Deface, *v. t.* Ku fafanikira ; ku fafaniza.
Defame, *v. t.* Ku namiza ; ku namiziridwa.
Defeat, *v. t.* *As in war,* Ku pambana ; ku tamangitsa.
—— *To overthrow,* Ku gonjetsa.
—— *To frustrate, to prevent the success of,* Ku sakaza ; ku ononga ; ku tshita kwa njiru ; ku pambana.
Defence, *n.* Kukana.
—— *Self-defence,* Kudzikana.
Defend, *v. t.* Ku kana; ku tontoza.
—— **oneself,** Ku dzikana.
Defer, *v. t.* Ku tshedwa.
Defile, *v. t.* *Morally,* Ku ipitsa.
—— *To soil,* Ku nyansa ; ku nyansitsa ; ku detsa.
—— *n.* *A narrow pass between hills,* Mpata, mipata.
Defiled, *a.* -*O*ipitsidwa ; -*o*nyansidwa.
Defilement, *n.* Kuipitsa ; kunyansa.
Define, *v. t.* *To limit,* Ku tshula ; ku lemba maliri.
Deflect, *v. i.* Ku kota.
—— *v. t.* Ku pinda.
Deflection, *n.* Kukota ; kupinda.
Deform, *v. t.* *To mar or injure a thing, as a pot,* Ku sakaza ; ku pualiza.
—— *To injure, so as to deform the person,* Ku pundula ; ku pundutsa.
Deformation, *n.* *Of the person,* Kupunduka.
—— *Of a thing,* Kupualiza.
Deformed, *p.p.* *A deformed person,* Muntu wopunduka.
—— *n.* *A deformed thing,* -*O*pualiza.
—— *A misshapen pot,* Mpika wopualiza.
Defraud, *v. t.* Ku tshenjerera.
Defy, *v. t.* *To dare, to despise,* Ku nyoza.
—— *To dare to conflict,* Ku msera ntima.
—— *To look defiantly,* Ku yang'anira kwamsera ntima.
Degrade, *v. t.* Ku pyapyaza.
Degree. *Low,* Tshabe. *A man of low degree,* Muntu watshabe.
Deity, *n.* *God,* MULUNGU and MLUNGU, *pl.* Milungu.
—— *The Godhead,* Umulungu.
Deject, *v. t.* *Throw down,* Ku taia ; ku ponya pansi.
—— *Cast down in spirits,* Ku mva tshisoni.
Dejected, *a.* -Omva tshisoni.
Dejectedly, *adv.* Komva tshisoni.
Dejection, *n.* Tshisoni, dzisoni.
—— **Stools,** Matuvi.
Delay, *n.* Kutshedwa.
—— *Hindrance,* Nkhani.
—— *v. i.* Ku tshedwa.
—— *v. t.* Ku tshedwetsa.
Delectable, *a.* -*A*bwino.
Deliberate, *v. t.* *To weigh in the mind,* Ku gwiriza ; ku ganiza ndi ntima ; ku pangana.
—— *Not hastily, as with measured steps,* Ku enda kowerenga miendo.

Deliberately, *adv. Tardily, without haste,* Kotshedwa ; kolesi.
—— *Purposely,* Kokodoma.
Deliberateness, *n. Tardiness, with purpose,* Kukodoma.
Delicacy, *n. A dainty,* Kantu kakukonda.
—— *Daintiness in eating,* Kunyanyata.
—— *To walk with a delicate, affected gait,* Kudzikuza.
Delicious, *a.* -*O*kometsa.
Deliciousness, *n.* Kukometsa.
Delight, *n.* Kusekera.
—— *v. i.* Ku sekera.
—— *v. t.* Ku sekeretsa.
Delightful, *a.* -*O*sekera.
Delightfully, *adv.* Kosekera.
Delinquency, *n.* Tshimo, (la) matshimo.
Delinquent, *n.* Wakutshimwa, akutshimwa.
Delirious, *a.* -*A*misala ; -*o*gwidwa ndi mizimu ; -otedwa nzeru.
Delirium, *n.* Kutedwa nzeru.
Deliver, *v. t. To free, to rescue from an enemy,* Ku masula ; ku pulumutsa.
—— *From danger,* Ku pulumutsa.
—— *From bondage, by redemption,* Ku ombola.
—— *To give, or hand over, or transfer,* Ku patsa ; ku pereka.
—— *To surrender, to give up,* Ku bweza ; ku bwezera.
Deliverance, *n.* Kupulumutsa ; kumasula.
—— *Safety,* Kupulumuka.
Deliverer, *n.* Wakupulumutsa, akupulumutsa ; wopulumutsi, opulumutsi ; mpulumutsi ; womasula, omasula.
Delude, *v. t. To impose on, to deceive,* Ku nyenga.
—— *To lead into error,* Ku namiza.
Deluded, *p.p.* -*O*namizidwa.
Deluge, *n. Flood,* Tshigumula, dzigumula.
Delusion, *n.* Kunamizidwa ; tshinamizo, dzinamizo.
Delusive, *a.* -*O*namiza.
Demand, *v. t.* Ku funsa.
—— *n.* Kufunsa ; funso, mafunso.
Demolish, *v. t. To scatter,* Ku balalitsa.
—— *To destroy,* Ku mwaza.
Demolition, *n.* Kumwaza.
Demon, *n.* Demon, ademon ; nzimu woipa, mizimu yoipa.
Demonstrate, *v. t.* Ku sonyeza ; ku sonya.
Demonstration, *n.* Kusonyeza ; kusonya.
Demoralize, *v. i.* Ku balalika.
—— *v. t.* Ku balalitsa.
Demur, *v. i.* Ku kana.
Den, *n. A cavern,* Nkwimba, zinkwimba.
—— *A hole,* Panga, (la) mapanga.
Denial, *n. Of a statement,* Ku ti kunama ; kukana.
—— *Of a request,* Ku kana ; nkani, zinkani.
Dense, *a.* -*O*titimizana.
—— *Of rain,* -*O*gudumiza.
—— *v. i. To become,* Ku titimizana.
Dent, *v. i.* Ku pualika.
—— *v. t.* Ku pualiza.
—— *n.* Kupualika.
Denude, *v. t. To divest of all covering,* Ku tshotsa nsaru.
Deny, *v. t. To deny all knowledge of,* Ku kana.
—— *To deny oneself,* Ku dzikaniza.
Depart, *v. i. From a place,* Ku tshoka ; ku muka.
—— *To depart one from another, to separate,* Ku balalika.
Departure, *n.* Kutshoka ; kumuka.
Depend, *v. i. To rely on with confidence,* Ku mvana.
—— *To depend on, as for support,* Ku leredwa ndi.
—— *To hang,* Ku patshikwa.
Dependence, *n. Reliance, trust, confidence,* Kumvana.

Deplore, *v. i.* *To lament,* Ku lirira.
—— *To feel deeply grieved for,* Ku mva tshisoni.
Deportment, *n.* *Manner of acting, behaviour,* Makalidwe.
—— *Gracefulness of carriage or deportment,* Kuenda.
Deposit, *v. t.* *To lay up in store,* Ku ika.
—— *To commit to the care of, to entrust to another,* Ku ikira.
—— *n.* Kuikidwa.
Deprave, *v. t.* Ku ipitsa.
Depravity, *n.* Kuipa.
Depress, *v. t.* *To cast down in spirit,* Ku kalitsa nsoni.
Depression (Mental), *n.* Nsoni, zinsoni.
Deprive, *v. t.* *To take forcibly from,* Ku landa; ku tshotsa.
—— *To deprive of office or position,* Ku tshotsa ntshito.
Depth, *n.* *Of the sea,* Kulya; kuya *and* mkuya.
—— *An abyss,* Phompo.
Depute, *v. t.* Ku panga muntu diso *or* muendo *or* nkope.
Derange, *v. t.* *To throw into disorder,* Ku sokaniza.
Derangement, *n.* Kusokaniza.
Deride, *v. t.* *To laugh at a person in contempt,* Ku nyoza; ku seka.
—— *To turn to ridicule or make sport of,* Ku nyansa; ku sinjirira.
Derision, *n.* *Scorn,* Kunyoza.
Descend, *v. i.* Ku tsika.
—— *To descend or fall suddenly upon, as upon an enemy in war,* Ku tira.
Descent, *n.* *The act of descending,* Kutsika.
—— *The descent of a hill,* Kutsika kwa piri.
—— *Birth, lineage,* Fuko, (la) mafuko.
—— *The descent or attack of an army,* Kutira; kugwa.
Describe, *v. t.* *As a narrative,* Ku uza; ku nena.
—— *To explain by words,* Ku sonyeza.
Description, *n.* Kufotokoza; kusonyeza; kuuza.
Descry, *v. i.* Ku oneka.
Desert, *v. t.* *To desert a friend,* Ku tawira mbali.
—— *To desert a place by departing secretly,* Ku muka kutseri.
—— *To desert one chief or people and go to another,* Ku tawa.
—— *To desert or abandon its young, as a sheep its lamb,* Ku sia.
—— *n.* *A wilderness,* Tshipululu, dzipululu.
Desertion, *n.* Kutawa; kusia.
Deserve, *v. t.* *To merit,* Ku enera.
Deservedly, *adv.* Koeneredwa.
Design, *v. t.* *To delineate by drawing,* Ku fanizira.
—— *To design evil by laying a plot,* Ku pangana kunje.
—— *n.* *A plan or outline,* Fanizirо, (la) mafaniziro.
Designedly, *adv.* *Purposely,* Kofuna.
Desirability, *n.* Uko.
Desirable, *a.* -Ofunidwa.
Desire, *v. t.* *To long for with lust or appetite,* Ku funa; ku funitsa.
—— *To desire the possession or enjoyment of,* Ku funa.
—— *To express a wish or desire that a thing may come to pass,* Ku tshula kufuna kwatshi.
—— *n.* *Will,* Kufuna.
—— *Desire after,* Kufuna; funo, (la) mafuno.
—— *Passionate desire,* Kufunitsa.
Desirous. -Ofuna.
Desist, *v. i.* *To cease to annoy or interfere with a person,* Ku leka.
—— *To cease to act or proceed with an undertaking,* Ku leka.

Desistance, *n.* Kuleka.
Desolate, *v. t.* *To lay waste,* Ku pasuka.
—— *a.* *Deprived of inhabitants,* -*A*dzinja.
—— *Desolate and waste places, site of old village,* Dzinja, (la) madzinja.
—— *Uninhabited, a wilderness,* Tshipululu, dzipululu.
—— *In a desolate ruinous condition,* -*O*funa ku gwa.
—— *n.* *Solitary person, without a companion,* Muntu waeka.
—— *One or person,* Mpawi, ampawi.
Desolation, *n.* Bwinja, (la) mabwinja; kupasuka; dzinja, (la) madzinja.
Despair, *v. i.* *To give up all hope,* Ku lizinga.
—— *n.* Kulizinga.
Despairingly, *adv.* Kolizinga.
Despatch, *v. t.* Ku tumiza; ku tuma.
Desperado, *n.* Wankarwe, ankarwe.
Desperate, *a.* *To be furious, rash,* Ku dzedzeduka.
—— *To be without hope,* Ku lizinga.
—— -*O*lizinga; -odzedzeduka.
Desperately, *adv.* Kolizinga.
Desperation, *n.* Kulizinga.
Despicable, *a.* *In action,* -*O*nyozedwa.
—— **person.** Muntu wonyozedwa.
Despicableness, *n.* Kunyozedwa.
Despise, *v. t.* Ku nyoza; ku lalatila; ku peputsa; ku tsonya; ku sinjirira.
Despised, *a.* -*O*nyozedwa.
Despite, *v. t.* *To vex,* Ku bvuta; ku puta.
—— *n.* Kubvuta; kuputa; kunyoza.
Despoil, *v. t.* *To take from by force,* Ku landa.
Despoiler, *n.* Wolanda, olanda.
Despoliation, *n.* Kulanda.
Despond, *v. i.* Ku kala nkawa.
Despondency, *n.* Nkawa, zinkawa.
Despondingly, *adv.* Kwankawa.
Despot, *n.* Mbuie *and* mbuye, ambuye.
Despotically, *adv.* Kwakufuna.
Destine, *v. t.* *To appoint, to institute,* Ku locza.
Destitute, *a.* -*O*sauka; -osoa.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku sauka; ku soa.
Destitution, *n.* Kusauka.
Destroy, *v. t.* *To demolish,* Ku mwaza.
—— *To pull down,* Ku sakaza; ku gwetsa.
—— *To kill,* Ku pa.
—— *To ruin, to annihilate,* Ku mwaza.
—— *Devour, eat up,* Ku ononga.
—— *A village or country by war,* Ku pasula.
Destroyed, *a.* *Impaired in efficiency, as gunpowder by water,* -*O*fokedwa.
Destroyer, *n.* Womwaza, omwaza.
Destruction, / **Demolition,** } *n.* *Ruin,* Kumwaza.
—— *Self-destruction,* Kumwazika.
Destructive, *a.* *As a self-willed child,* -*O*simbwa.
Desultorily, *adv.* Kolekezalekeza.
Detach, *v. t.* *To separate,* Ku lekanitsa.
—— *To divide,* Ku gawa.
—— *To disunite, to disentangle,* Ku longosola.
—— *To disengage,* Ku leka.
—— *As one from a flock or herd,* Ku gawaniza.
—— *Take one thing from another, as to take one of two baskets from the head and set it on the ground,* Ku sakamula.
Detail, *v. t.* *To relate minutely and particularly,* Ku nena zonse; ku vumbula zonse.
Details, *n.* *Of work,* Ntshito ntshito.
—— *Of report,* Kunena kunena.

Detain, *v. t. To withhold or keep back that which belongs to another,* Ku sunga.
—— *To keep or restrain from proceeding,* Ku kana; ku kaniza.
—— *To detain as surety or hostage,* Ku gwira.
Detect, *v. t. To apprehend or arrest a person,* Ku gwira.
—— *To find out, to bring to light,* Ku peza.
—— *Find, pick up,* Ku tola.
Deter, *v. t. To discourage and stop by fear,* Ku opetsa.
—— *To prevent by prohibition,* Ku letsa.
Determine, *v. t.* Ku ambirira; ku ambiriridwa.
—— *Appoint,* Ku sonyeza.
Detest, *v. t. To hate,* Ku kwia; ku kwiira.
—— *To abominate, with regard to persons only,* Ku nyada.
Detestable, *a.* -*O*nyansidwa.
Detestation, *n.* Kukwia.
Detract, *v. t. To injure the reputation,* Ku namiza.
—— *To take away from,* Ku tshotsa.
Devastate, *v. t.* Ku pasula.
Devastation, *n.* Kupasula.
Develop, *v. t.* Ku kula.
Development, *n.* Kukula.
Deviate, *v. i. To avoid a path by leaving,* Ku lambalala.
—— *v. t. To wander from the right way,* Ku sotshera.
—— *To go crookedly,* Ku kotetsa.
Deviation, *n.* Kukotetsa.
Device, *n.* Tintu, (la) matintu; ganizo, (la) maganizo.
—— *Cunning,* Nzeru, zinzeru.
Devil, *n.* Diabolos; Satana; Nzimu woipa.
Devise, *v. t. To plan, to plot,* Ku ganizaganiza.
Devotion, *n. Worship,* Kupembedza.
Devour, *v. t. To eat up ravenously,* Ku dia.
—— *To destroy, to consume,* Ku mwaza.
—— *To eat up of the substance of another,* Ku ononga.
Devout, *a.* -*O*pembedza.
Dew, *n.* Lume; mame.
Dewdrop, *n.* Donto la mame.
Dewlap, *n.* Tebwerebwa, (la) matebwerebwa.
Dexterity, *n.* Tshangu, dzangu.
Dexterous, *a.* -*A*tshangu.
Diabolical, *a.* -*A*ujiru.
Diadem, *n.* Diadema, (la) madiadema.
Dialogue, *n.* Kulankula.
Diaphragm, *n.* Tshitseka ntima dzitseka ntima.
Diarrhœa, *n.* Kusoma.
Dictate, *v. t. To command,* Ku uza.
Die, *v. i. To cease to live,* Ku fa.
—— *To cause to die,* Ku petsa.
Diet, *n.* Kudia.
Differ, *v. i. In opinion,* Ku yerekezayerekeza; ku kangana.
—— *To disagree,* Ku lekana.
—— *In quality,* Ku siana.
Difference, *n. Distinction,* Kusiana; kulekana.
—— *Dispute, debate, contention,* Kukangana.
Different, *a. Another,* Wina.
Difficult, *a. Difficult to perform,* -*O*lemera.
—— *Difficult to obtain,* -*A*patali.
Difficulty, *n.* Kulemera; ntshito yambiri.
Diffidence, *n.* Manyazi.
Diffident, *a.* -*A*manyazi.
Diffuse, *v. t. To pour out, as a fluid,* Ku tsanula.
—— *To spread out, as corn,* Ku yanika.
—— *To disperse,* Ku balalitsa.
Dig, *v. t. To dig a hole,* Ku kumba; ku kumba dzenje.
—— *To dig, as a garden, for cultivation,* Ku lima.
—— **down.** *To raze,* Ku gumula.

Digger, *n.* Wokumba, okumba; wakukumba, akukumba; wolima, olima; wakulima, akulima.
Dignify, *v. t.* *To ennoble,* Ku tshukitsa; ku buka.
Dignity, *n.*, **-ies.** Wopambana, opambana.
Diligence, *n.* Tshangu; kufulumira.
Diligent, *a.* -*A*tshangu.
Diligently, *adv.* Kwatshangu.
Dim, *a.* *Not seeing clearly,* -*A*khungu.
—— *v. t.* *To make dim,* Ku detsa maso; ku patsa khungu.
Diminish, *v. t.* *To lessen,* Ku tshepetsa.
—— *v. i.* *To grow or become less,* Ku tshepa.
Diminutive, *a.* -Ng'ono; kakang'ono.
Diminutives *are formed from other nouns by prefixing* ka *for the sing., and* ti *for the plu.*
Dimmish, *a.* *Somewhat dim or obscure,* -*A*khungu.
Dimness, *n.* Khungu, (la) makhungu.
Din, *n.* *Noise,* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso.
Dine, *v. t.* Ku dia.
Dingle, *n.* *A narrow valley,* Mpata, mipata; kampata, timpata.
Dinner, *n.* Kudia kwa usana.
Dinner-time, *n.* Ntawi ya kudia kwa usana.
Dip, *v. t.* *To immerse, to plunge in water,* Ku biza.
—— *v. i.* Ku bira.
—— *To take up with a ladle or small vessel,* Ku tunga.
—— *To dip a sop of bread or other substance,* Ku sunsa.
—— *To dip into a fluid,* Ku bvika; ku tumbika.
Direct, *v.* *To point towards, so as to take aim, as with a gun,* Ku tanda.
Direct, *v.* *To regulate or adjust,* Ku fotokoza.
—— *To give orders, to instruct,* Ku uza; ku punzitsa.
—— *To direct a person on his way,* Ku sonya; ku sonyeza.
Directly, *adv.* *Immediately,* Tsopano lino.
—— *In a straight line,* Kolungama.
Dirge, *n.* Kulira, maliro.
Dirt, *n.* *Mud,* Tope, (la) matope.
—— *Sweepings, as of a house,* Fumbi.
—— *Filth,* Matuzi; tuvi, (la) ma tuvi.
—— *Dirt or filth adhering to the body or clothes,* Litsiro.
Dirtily, *adv.* Kodetsa.
Dirty, To be, *v. i.* Ku tua.
—— *v. t.* *To defile,* Ku detsa.
—— *To soil, to befoul,* Ku tshita ubve.
—— *a.* *Defiled, soiled,* -*O*detsedwa.
—— *Of person,* -*O*tua; -*a*litsiro.
Disability, *n.* Kufoka; kupunduka.
Disable, *v. t.* *To weaken, to impair,* Ku foketsa; ku pundutsa.
Disabled, *a.* -*O*fokedwa; -*o*pundutsidwa.
Disagree, *v. t.* *To differ in opinion,* Ku kangana.
—— *To fall out,* Ku kwiana; ku kwiirana; ku pangana ndeu.
Disagreement, *n.* Kulekana; kusiana; ndeu.
Disallow, *v. t.* Ku kana; ku kaniza.
Disappear, *v. i.* *By going out of sight,* Ku ziririka.
—— *To disappear in a certain place, as the sun behind a cloud,* Ku loa.
—— *To disappear into a house,* Ku loa.
—— **suddenly.** *To vanish,* Ku kang'ganuka *and* ku kanganuka.
—— *To hide,* Ku bisa.
—— *To conceal oneself,* Ku bisala.

Disappearance, *n.* Kuziririka; kukang'ganuka.
Disappoint, *v. t.* *To defeat expectation,* Ku bvutidwa.
Disappointed, *a.* -*O*bvutidwa.
Disappointment, *n.* Kubvutidwa.
Disapproval, *n.* Kukana.
Disapprove, *v. t.* Ku kana.
Disarrange, *v. t.* Ku sokaniza.
Disarrangement, *n.* Kusokaniza.
Disaster, *n.* *Unfortunate occurrence, calamity,* Tsoko.
—— *A mishap,* Mpingu, mipingu.
Disavow, *v. t.* Ku kaniza.
Disavowal, *n.* Kukaniza.
Disband, *v. t.* *To dismiss a company or assembly,* Ku mukitsa.
—— *To scatter or disperse,* Ku balalitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku balalika.
Disbelief, *n.* Kusamvana.
Disburden, *v. t.* *To relieve of a load,* Ku tula.
Discard, *v. t.* *To cast off, to reject,* Ku taia; ku taya.
Discern, *v. t.* *Intellectually,* Ku dziwitsa; ku werenga.
—— *To discover, to see,* Ku ona.
Discernment, *n.* Kudziwitsa, madziwitso.
Discharge, *v. t.* *To dismiss, as from service,* Ku tshotsa.
—— *To discharge a load,* Ku tuta.
—— *As a gun,* Ku ombera *mfuti.*
—— *To discharge from accusation of a crime,* Ku masula.
—— *As a wound or sore,* Ku ka mafinya.
—— *n.* Kutshotsa; kumasula.
—— *Pus,* Mafinya.
Disciple, *n.* Wakupunzira, akupunzira; wopunzira, opunzira.
Discipline, *n.* Makalidwe; kudziweruza.
Disclose, *v. t.* *To uncover, to lay open to the view,* Ku sonya.
—— *To bring to light,* Ku sonyeza.
—— *To tell, to utter,* Ku uza; ku tshula.
Disclosure, *n.* Kusonya; sonyo, (la) masonyo.
Discomfit, *v. t.* *To rout, to scatter in fight,* Ku tamangitsa.
—— *To make disagreeable,* Ku sautsa.
Discomfiture, *n.* Kutawa.
Discomfort, *v. t.* *To make uneasy,* Ku pwetekesa.
—— *n.* Kusautsa.
Discommode, *v. t.* Ku londoloza.
Discompose, *v. t.* *To disturb peace and quietness,* Ku sokaniza.
Disconcert, *v. t.* *To defeat a purpose,* Ku tshinjiriza.
—— *To wholly cause to fail,* Ku leperetsa.
Discontented, *a.* -*O*dungulula; -*o*kwiakwia.
—— *v. i.* *To murmur,* Ku ndandaula; ku dungulula.
—— **inwardly,** Ku nong'ona.
Discontinue, *v. i.* Ku leka.
Discord, *n.* *Difference of opinion,* Kukangana.
—— *Contention, strife,* Ndeu.
—— *As of a multitude, tumult,* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso.
Discourage, *v. t.* Ku opsetsa *and* ku topetsa.
Discouraged, *a.* -*O*psetsedwa; -otopetsedwa.
Discourse, *v. i.* *To talk,* Ku lankula.
—— *To give a set discourse, as an oration or sermon,* Ku uza.
—— *n.* Kulankula; kuuza.
Discourteous, *a.* *Rude in manner,* -*O*pulukira; -opanda ulemu.
Discover, *v. t.* *To lay open to view,* Ku sonya.
—— *To espy, to get the first sight of,* Ku ona; ku oneka.
—— *To find a thing sought for,* Ku peza; ku tola.
—— *To disclose a matter to another,* Ku sonyeza; Ku uza; ku taulira.
Discreet, *a.* -*O*tshenjera; -anzeru.

Discreetly, *adv.* Kotshenjera; kwanzeru.
Discrepancy, *n.* Kuperewezana; kusiana.
Discretion, *n.* Nzeru.
Discriminate, *v. t.* Ku sianitsa; ku dziwitsa.
Discuss, *v. t.* *To talk a matter over,* Ku uzana; ku sing'ka.
—— *To debate, to argue on,* Ku gazitsana; ku sing'kasing'ka.
Discussion, *n.* Kuuzana.
Disdain, *v. t.* Ku puta; ku nyoza.
—— *n.* Kuputa; kunyoza.
Disease, *n.* Ntenda, zintenda.
Diseased, *a.* *Distempered, sick,* -*O*dwala.
Disembark, *v. i.* *To land,* Ku turuka.
Disengage, *v. t.* *To separate, as a substance from anything with which it is in union—hence to extract teeth,* Ku gulula.
Disentangle, *v. t.* Ku solola; ku nyoroza.
Disesteem, *v. t.* Kusalemekeza.
—— *n.* Kusalemekeza.
Disfigure, *v. t.* *Change countenance,* Ku tembenuza.
—— Ku fafaniza; Ku detsa.
Disgorge. *To eject from the stomach,* Ku sanza.
Disgrace, *n.* Manyazi.
Disgraced, To be, *v.* Ku kala ndi manyazi.
Disguise, *v. t.* *To hide by counterfeit appearance,* Ku eneza; ku zimbaitsa.
—— *To conceal, as by a mask,* Ku zimbaitsa.
—— *To act deceptively,* Ku nyenga.
Disgust, *v. t.* Ku nyansa.
—— *n.* Kunyansa; kukwidula.
Disgusted, *a.* -*O*nyansidwa.
—— *adv.* Konyansidwa.
Dish, *n.* Mbale, zimbale.
—— *v. t.* *To dish up food,* Ku ika kudia m' mbale; ku pula.
Dishearten, *v. t.* Ku opsetsa.
Dishonest, *a.* -*O*ombala.
Dishonour, *v. t.* *As the law,* Ku nyoza *mau.*
—— *To dishonour, by bringing shame,* Ku pyapyaza.
—— *n.* Kunyoza; kusalemekeza.
Disinclination, *n.* Magwirira.
Disincline, *v. t.* Ku tshita magwirira.
Disinclined, *a.* Ku tshita kwa magwirira.
Disintegrate, *v. i.* *To separate and fall to pieces,* Ku nyokotoka.
—— *v. t.* *To cause to,* Ku nyokotoza.
Disinter, *v. t.* Ku fukula.
Disjoin, *v. t.* Ku masula.
Disjoint, *v. t.* Ku gulula.
Dislike, *v. t.* Ku kwia; ku dana ni.
Dislocate, *v. t.* *To disjoin, to dismember,* Ku gulula.
—— *To put out of joint, as by accident,* Ku gulutsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku guluka.
Dislodge, *v. t.* *As a creature above in a tree,* Ku tsakamutsa.
—— *Out of a hole, as a pig,* Ku vumbulutsa.
Dismal, *a.* *Gloomy, of weather,* -*A*utungulu.
—— *Frightful, horrible,* -*O*opsa.
Dismay, *v. t.* *To deprive of courage,* Ku opsetsa.
—— *To astound,* Ku zizwitsa.
—— *n.* Kuopsetsa, kuzizwitsa.
Dismiss, *v. t.* *Peaceably,* Ku tumiza.
—— *To dismiss in anger,* Ku tshotsa ndi kukwia.
Disobedience, *n.* Kusamvera.
Disobedient, *a.* -*O*samvera.
Disobey, *v. i.* *To disobey an injunction,* Ku samvera.
—— *v. t.* *A law,* Ku swa.
Disorder, *v. t.* *To throw into disorder or confusion, as troops when the line of battle is broken,* Ku balalitsa; ku sokaniza.

Disorder, *v. i.* *To fall into disorder, as troops broken in battle,* Ku balalika; ku sokanikira.
—— *n.* *Tumult,* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso.
—— *Confusion,* Kusokaniza.
—— *Neglect of rule,* Kulongoloza.
Disorderly, *a.* *-A*tshiwawa.
—— *adv.* *Lawless,* Kosamvera mau; kwatshiwawa.
Disown, *v. t.* *A friend or relative,* Ku kana.
—— *To deny a statement,* Ku kana.
Disparage, *v. t.* *To undervalue,* Ku tshepetsa.
—— *To speak disparagingly of a person,* Ku sonyetsa.
Disparagement, *n.* Kusonyetsa; kunyozetsa.
Disparagingly, *adv.* Kotshepetsa.
Dispatch, *v. t.* *To perform quickly,* Ku tshita nsanga.
—— *To put to death,* Ku pa.
—— *To send a quick messenger,* Ku tumiza ntenga.
Dispensation, *n.* Kuweruza.
—— *Stewardship,* Udindo.
Dispense, *v. t.* *Deal out,* Ku patsa; ku ning'ka.
Disperse, *v. t.* *Scatter others,* Ku balalitsa.
—— *v. i.* *Of own accord,* Ku balalika.
Dispersion, *n.* *Of own accord,* Kubalalika.
—— *By force or by others,* Kubalalitsa.
Displace, *v. t.* Ku sunta.
Display, *v. t.* Ku sonyeza.
Displease, *v. t.* Ku kwiitsa.
Displeasure, *n.* Kukwia; kukwiitsa.
Disposition, *n.* *Natural tendency,* Makalidwe.
Disputant, *n.* Wopokoso, opokoso; wandeu, andeu; wokangana, okangana.
Disputation, *n.* Kukangana, makangano.
Dispute, *n.* Ndeu, zindeu; kukangana, makangano.
—— *v. t.* Ku teta ndeu; ku tetana.
—— *To dispute, or mutually condemn,* Ku tsutsana.
—— *To dispute for, or respecting a thing,* Ku kangana.
—— *As in a debate,* Ku gazana; ku fukana.
—— *A claim,* Ku tshimikiza.
Disputant, / **Disputer,** } *n.* Wakukangana, akukangana; wakufukana, akufukana.
Disquiet, *v. t.* Ku sokaniza.
—— *n.* Kusokanikira.
Disregard, *v. t.* Ku sasamala.
—— *n.* Kusasamala.
Disrepute, *n.* *Dishonour,* Kupyapyaza.
—— **To bring into,** *v.* Ku pyapyaza.
Disrespect, *n.* Mwano.
Disrobe, *v. i.* Ku bvula; ku bvula nsaru.
Dissatisfaction, *n.* Kunyanyala.
Dissatisfy, { *v. i.* Ku nyanyala. *v. t.* Ku nyanyalitsa.
Dissemble, *v. i.* Ku nama.
Dissembler, *n.* Wonamiza, onamiza; wonyenga, onyenga; wakunyenga, akunyenga.
Dissension, *n.* Kukanirana.
Dissent, *v. i.* Ku kana.
—— *n.* Kukana.
Dissenter, *n.* Wokana, okana.
Dissever, *v. t.* *To cut in two,* Ku dula.
—— *To part or tear asunder,* Ku ng'amba.
Dissimulation, *n.* Kunama.
Dissipate, *v. t.* *To scatter,* Ku balalitsa; ku tshotsa.
—— *To disappear, to vanish,* Ku kang'ganuka.
Dissolute, *a.* *-O*dzedzeduka.
Dissolution, *n.* *Death, the separation of soul and body,* Imfa.
—— *Destruction,* Kumwaza.
—— *Putrefaction,* Kubvunda.

Dissolve, *v. t. To melt,* Ku sungunutsa.
—— *v. i. To melt away,* Ku sungunuka.
Dissolved. -Osungunukidwa.
Dissuade, *v. t.* Ku letsa.
Dissuader, *n.* Woletsa, oletsa.
Distance, *n. In space,* Kutali.
—— *Space or length of time,* Kutali ; kali.
Distant, *a. Remote in space,* Kutali.
—— *Remote in time,* Kali.
Distemper, *n. Sickness,* Kudwala.
Distinction, *n.* Kusiana ; kulekana.
Distinguish, *v. t.* Ku siana ; ku lekana.
Distort, *v. t. As the face or likeness,* Ku pundula.
—— *Of truth,* Ku namizira.
Distract, *v. t. To cause disorder,* Ku balalitsa.
—— *To confuse,* Ku sokaniza.
—— *To madden,* Ku sokosa.
Distractedly, *adv. Without order,* Kosadondoloza.
—— *With confusion of mind,* Kusokaniza.
Distraction, *n. Want of order,* Kutedwa nzeru ; kubaluka.
—— *Confusion of mind,* Kusokaniza.
—— *Folly, madness,* Misala (ya muntu).
Distress, *v. i.* Ku sauka.
—— *v. t.* Ku sautsa ; ku saukitsa.
—— *n. Pain of mind,* Tshisoni, zisoni ; ku li ndi tshisoni.
—— *Calamity,* Mpingu, mipingu.
Distribute, *v. t.* Ku gawa ; ku patsa.
Distribution, *n.* Kugawa ; kupatsa, mapatso.
District, *n.* Dziko, maiko ; kadziko.
Distrust, *v. t.* Ku samvana.
—— *n.* Kusamvana.
Distrustfully, *adv.* Kosamvana.
Disturb, *v. t. To excite from a state of rest or tranquillity,* Ku nyong'onya.
—— *To make one start,* Ku dzidzintsa.
—— *To agitate the mind, to trouble,* Ku sautsa.
—— *To agitate an assembly of people, to excite it so as to cause confusion,* Ku pokosetsa.
Disturbance, *n. Of the mind,* Sautso, (la) masautso.
—— *A tumult of people,* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso.
—— *To make a disturbance,* Ku teta ; ku teta ndeu.
—— *By one party, if referring to both,* Ku tetana.
Disunite, *v. t.* Ku masula ; ku gulula.
—— *v. i.* Ku guluka.
Ditch, *n.* Ntshera, mitshera.
—— **Dry.** Tshemba, (la) matshemba.
—— *v. t.* Ku kumba ntshera ; ku panga ntshera.
Dive, *v. i.* Ku bira.
Diversify, *v. t.* Ku sinta.
Diversion, *n. The act of turning aside from any course,* Kutembenuza.
—— *Relaxation, sport,* Sewera, masewera ; sowera, masowera ; *and final o.*
Diversity, *n.* Kusiana ; masiano.
Divert, *v. To turn aside,* Ku tembenuza.
—— *To amuse, to entertain,* Ku seweretsa.
Divest, *v. t. To deprive of,* Ku tshotsa.
—— *Of clothes,* Ku bvula.
Divide, *v. t. To part a thing into two or more pieces,* Ku gawa.
—— *To cause a division of opinion,* Ku gawitsa.
—— *To divide a whole into portions for several persons,* Ku gawitsa.
—— *v. i. To share together,* Ku gawana.

Divination, *n.* Kuombedza ula; ulaula.
Divine, *a.* -*A*mulungu.
—— *v. t.* Ku ombeza ula *and* ku ombedza ula.
Diviner, *n.* Woombeza ula, oombeza ula.
Divinity, *n.* Umulungu.
Division, *n.* Kugawa; kugawana, magawano; pande, (la) mapande.
Divorce, *v. t.* Ku lekana.
—— *n.* Kulekana, malekano.
Dizziness, *n.* Tshirungulira, dzirungulira.
Do, *v. t.* *To perform, to execute,* Ku tshita.
—— *To answer the purpose,* Ku li -*a*bwino; ku teka.
—— *To make,* Ku panga.
—— *As meat to be cooked,* Ku psa.
—— *Do so,* Tshita tshointshi; tshita tshotere.
—— *How do you do this?* Upanga tshimene bwanje? utshita tshimene bwanje?
—— *To do right,* Ku tshita bwino; ku tshita kodeka.
—— *To do wrong,* Ku tshita koipa; ku tshimwa; ku lapa.
—— *To do as one likes, and not according to law,* Ku sokaniza.
Dock, *v. t.* *To cut off,* Ku dula.
Doctor, *n.* Sing'anga, asing'anga.
—— *v. t.* Ku patsa *or* ning'ka mankwala.
Doctrine, *n.* Kupunzitsa.
Dodge, *v. i.* Ku lewa.
—— *v. t.* Ku lewetsa.
Doer, *n.* Wotshita, otshita.
Dog, *n.* *Domestic,* Garu, agaru.
Doggedly, *adv.* Kolimba.
Doll, *n.* Mwana wa dote; mwana wa ntengo.
Dolt, *n.* Wopusa, opusa.
Domain, *n.* Dziko, (la) maiko.
Domicile, *n.* Nyumba; kukala; kwatshi.
—— *Country,* Dziko, maiko.
Dominion, *n.* *Government,* Kuweruza; tshifumu; umwini.
Doom, *v. t.* *To sentence to punishment,* Ku lamula.
—— *To condemn,* Ku sutsa.
Door, *n.* Tshitseko, dzitseko.
Doorkeeper, *n.* Wapakomo, apakomo.
Doorpost, *n.* Ntsiki, zintsiki.
Doorway, *n.* Komo, (la) makomo.
Dotage, *n.* Ukalamba.
Doting, *a.* *Weak,* -*O*foka.
Double, *a.* *Twice as much,* -*A*wiri; -*o*pinda kawiri; -opindidwa kawiri.
—— *To fold, as a garment,* Ku pinda.
—— *To double, as in quantity,* Ku pindula kawiri.
—— *To turn quickly in moving, to dodge,* Ku lewa.
Double-dealer, *n.* Watshinyengo, atshinyengo.
—— **dealing,** *n.* Tshinyengo, dzinyengo.
Doubt, *v. t.* Ku kaika.
—— *To stumble,* Ku dodometsa.
—— *n.* Kuganizaganiza.
Doubtful, *a.* -*O*ganizaganiza.
Doubtingly, *adv.* Koganizaganiza.
Doubtless, *a.* -*O*panda kuganizaganiza.
Dough, *n.* Ntanda, mitanda.
Dove, *n.* *Turtle,* Njiwa, zinjiwa.
Down, *n.* *Of birds,* Ubwea.
—— *A large open plain,* Dambo.
—— *adv. and prep.* *Beneath,* Pansi.
—— *To put down,* Ku ika pansi.
—— *To humble a man,* Ku tshepetsa.
—— *To force or take down,* Ku sitsa.
—— *To go down a river,* Ku tsika.
—— *To fall down,* Ku gwetsa *and* gwesa.
—— *for another,* Ku gwetsera.
—— *To turn upside down,* Ku tembenuza.
—— *To fall down,* Ku gwa.

Downward, *adv.* Kwa pansi.
Dowry, *n.* *Present given by bridegroom to his bride's friends,* Tshimalo dzimalo.
Doze, *v. i.* *To be drowsy, to nap,* Ku sinza.
—— *n.* Kusinza.
Drag, *v. t.* *To drag on the ground,* Ku koka.
—— *v. i.* *To be drawn along,* Ku kokedwa.
Drain, *v. t.* *To filter,* Ku punguza.
—— *n.* *A channel for water, ditch,* Ntshera, mitshera.
Draw, *v. t.* *To pull along,* Ku koka.
—— *To draw towards a particular place,* Ku kotshera.
—— *To draw along on the ground,* Ku kwekweretsa.
—— *To represent by lines, to draw a picture or portrait,* Ku lemba; ku faniza.
—— *To draw a boundary line,* Ku lemba maliri; ku sonyeza.
—— *To draw blood, to bleed,* Ku ketsa (mwazi).
—— *To draw blood by cupping,* Ku nuna; ku nuna mwazi.
—— *To draw aside the person,* Ku turutsa.
—— *To draw or entice,* Ku nyenjera.
—— *To draw up,* Ku koka kumwamba.
—— *To draw or take out a thorn from the flesh, to extract,* Ku tshotsa.
—— *To draw into trouble or danger,* Ku sekerezetswa.
—— *To draw together,* Ku komaniza; ku kotsherana.
—— *To draw liquor out of a cask,* Ku tsanula.
—— *To draw in or contract, as a line,* Ku kwinyata.
—— *To draw, as curtains,* Ku kung'gunula.
—— *To draw out, as a root,* Ku kadzula.
Draw, *v. t.* *To draw water,* Ku tunga. *She drew water,* Anatunga madzi.
—— *v. i.* *To pull or exert strength,* Ku koka.
—— *To shrink, to contract,* Ku tamuka.
—— *To draw back, as from an enemy,* Ku bwera.
—— *To draw nigh,* Ku yandika.
—— *To draw nigh rapidly to an object, when in pursuit, or in war,* Ku komana.
—— *To draw up,* Ku tenula.
—— *To draw away, or be drawn away,* Ku kotshedwa.
Dread, *n.* Kuopa.
—— *v. i.* Ku opa; ku tshita manta = *To play the coward.*
Dreadful, *a.* -*O*opsa; -oopsera.
—— **person,** *n.* Wakuopsa, akuopsa.
Dream, *n.* Loto, (la) maloto.
—— *v. i.* Ku lota.
Dreamer, *n.* Wolota, olota.
Dregs, *n.* *Of liquor,* Nsenga, zinsenga, *e.g. grounds of coffee.*
Drench, *v. t.* *To force to drink,* Ku mwetsa.
—— *To drench with rain,* Ku katamira.
—— *To be drenched with rain,* Ku vumbidwa; ku katamiridwa.
Dress, *v. t.* *To dress a wound,* Ku manga.
—— *To dress by putting on clothes,* Ku bvala.
—— *To dress another,* Ku bveka.
—— *To curry leather,* Ku fufuta dzikopa.
—— *To dress food,* Ku konza; ku konzetsa.
—— *To make oneself tidy,* Ku konza.
—— *n.* *Clothes,* Nsaru; maraia; miinjiro.
Dribble, *v. i.* *As small rain or spray,* Ku waza.
Drift away, *v. i.* Ku kweng'kwenuka.

Drill, *v. t.* *To pierce with a drill,* Ku bola *and* ku pola.
Drink, *v. i.* Ku mwa.
—— *To drink to intoxication,* Ku ledzera.
—— *To drink or drain the last drop of a cup,* Ku gugudiza.
—— *To cause to drink,* Ku mwetsa.
Drinkable, *a.* -*A*kumwa.
Drinker, *n.* Wakumwa, akumwa.
Drip, *v. i.* *To fall in drops,* Ku kamuka.
—— *To let fall in drops by hanging up to drip,* Ku kamutsa.
—— *To let fall in drops by sprinkling,* Ku tsira.
Drive, *v. t.* *With force,* Ku tsogoza; ku tamangitsa.
—— *To impel a team of horses or oxen forward,* Ku koketsa.
—— *To drive a nail or bolt,* Ku koma; ku komera.
—— *To drive away,* Ku tshotsa; ku inga.
—— *To hurry on,* Ku fulumiza.
—— *To drive before one,* Ku tsogoza.
Drive out, *v. t.* Ku turutsa.
Driven, *v. i.* *Driven by the wind, as a ship by the wind,* Ku suntidwa, *and* ku piswa *contracted from* ku pitisidwa.
—— *To be driven or carried away by a stream of water,* Ku kwenkwenula, *and* ku kweng'kwenula.
Drivel, *v. i.* Ku tondedwa.
—— *n.* Kutondewa.
Driver, *n.* *Of a vehicle,* woendetsa, oendetsa.
Drizzle, *v. i.* *As small rain,* Ku waza.
Drone, *n.* *An idler,* Mlesi, alesi.
Droop, *v. i.* *As flowers,* Ku nyala.
—— *To be sad,* Ku dera nkope.
Drop, *n.* *As of any liquid,* Donto, (la) madonto.
—— *v. i.* *As water,* Ku donta.
—— *Mark as if drops had fallen,* Ku dontotsheza.
Drop, *v. i.* *To drop or slip out of the hand,* Ku pulumuka.
—— *To drop or fall down,* Ku gwetsa.
—— *To drop, to fail, to come to nothing,* Ku lepera.
Dropsy, *n.* Tsempo; mbulu, zimbulu.
Dross, *n.* *Scum, as on water,* pobvu, (la) mapobvu.
—— *Of metals, slag, of iron,* Mulubwi, milubwi.
Drought, *n.* Tshilala, dzilala.
Drove of cattle or horses, *n.* Gulu, (la) magulu.
Drown, *v. t.* Ku biza m' madzi.
—— *v. i.* Ku fera m' madzi; ku bira.
Drowse, *v. i.* *To grow heavy with sleep,* Ku sinza.
Drowsiness, *n.* Kusinza.
Drub, *v. t.* *To beat with a stick,* Ku menya.
Drug, *n.* Mankwala.
Drum, *n.* Ng'oma, zing'oma.
—— *v. t.* *To beat the drum,* Ku omba ng'oma.
Drunk, *a.* -*O*ledzera.
Drunkard, *n.* Woledzera, oledzera; wakuledzera, akuledzera.
Drunken, To be, *v. i.* Ku ledzera; ku ledzedwa.
Drunkenness, *n.* Kuledzera.
Dry, *a.* *Free from moisture,* -*O*uma.
—— *As wood, therefore hard,* -*O*limba.
—— *v. t.* *By wiping,* Ku umitsa; ku pukuta; ku pukutira.
—— *v. i.* *To be thirsty,* Ku li ndi ludzu.
—— *To dry up from the action of the sun, as in a drought,* Ku umitsa.
—— *To dry up, to wither as a tree, to become dry,* Ku pakatika.
Dryness, *n.* Kuuma.
Duck, *n.* Baka, (la) mabaka.
—— *v. t.* Ku biza.
Due, *n.* *Debt,* Mangawa, amangawa; gong'gole, zigong'gole.

Dug, *n.* *The teat of a cow or other animal,* bere, (la) mabere.
Dull. *To be stupid, dull of hearing,* Ku pulukira.
—— *To be blunt,* Ku pwinika.
—— *a.* *Doltish,* -*O*pulukira.
—— *As a knife,* -*O*pwinika.
—— **of hearing,** -*O*tseka; -*o*gonta wang'ono.
Dullhead, *n.* *A blockhead,* woutsiru.
Dullness, *n.* *Stupidity,* tshitsiru.
—— *Want of edge, as a knife,* Kupwinika.
Dumb, *n.* *A dumb person,* -*O*sadziwa ku lankula.
Dumbness, *n.* Kusadziwa ku lankula.
Dun, *v.* *To dun for debt,* Ku lonjerera.
—— *a.* *Colour,* -*O*fira.
Dung, *n.* *Of cattle,* Utogole, (wa) mautogole.
—— *Refuse, manure,* Zotaia.
—— *Dunghill,* Dzala, (la) madzala.
Dungeon, *n.* Nyumba ya ndima.
Dusk, *n.* *The dusk of the evening,* Madzulo.
—— *v.* *To begin to be dusk,* Ku kotshera.
Dust, *n.* Fumbi, (la) mafumbi.
—— *v.* *To remove dust,* Ku sansa.
Dusty, *a.* -*A*fumbi.
Dutiful, *a.* -*O*mvera.
Dutifully, *adv.* Komvera.
Duty, *n.* Kuenera.
Dwarf, *n.* *A person stunted in growth,* Wamfupi, afupi.
—— *An animal stunted in growth,* -ng'ono.
Dwarfish, *a.* -Ng'ono.
Dwell, *v. i.* Ku kala.
Dwelling, *n.* *House,* Nyumba, zinyumba; malo okala.
—— *Home,* Kwa*tshi;* komwe.
Dwindle, *v. i.* *Of fire,* Ku zilala.
—— *Of number of persons, to decrease,* Ku punguka.
Dysentery, *n.* Tshiziula, dziziula.
Dye, *n.* *A colouring matter,* Utoto; tshakudetsa.
—— *v. t.* *To colour, as a garment,* Ku paka.

E

E has in Chinyanja the long sound of *a* in *bate,* the short sound of *e* in *fen,* the former in accented, the latter in unaccented syllables.
Each, *a.* *Every one taken separately,* -*O*nse.
Eager, *a.* Ndi ntima.
—— *To be eager for,* Ku funa; ku funitsa.
Eagerly, *adv.* Kofuna; kofunitsa.
Eagerness, *n.* Kufunitsa.
Eagle, *n.* Nkwazimaroro; tshombankanga, dzombankanga.
—— *Fish-eagle,* Nkwazi, zinkwazi.
Ear, *n.* *Organ of hearing,* Kutu, (la) makutu.
—— *A dull ear,* Kutu logonta pang'ono.
—— *A sharp ear,* Kutu lotsheka.
—— *v.* *To give ear to,* Ku mva; ku mvera.
Ear-wax, *n.* *Cerumen,* Nkhonda ya, zinkhonda za kutu.
—— *To shoot into ear, as corn,* Ku masula.
Early, *adv.* *In the morning,* Mamawa.
—— *Very early at dawn,* Banda kutsha.
—— *Early in life, in youth,* Komangupa.
—— **and latter rain,** *n.* Mvula yapatsogolo ndi mvula yapambuiu.
Earn, *v. t.* Ku tshita kwa ndrama *kapena* nsaru.
Earnest, *a.* -*O*limba.
—— *n.* *Sign,* Lonjezano, (la) malonjezano; kulonjezano.
Earnestly, *adv.* Kolimba; kwambiri.
Earnings, *n.* Kulipira.

Earrings, *n.* Pete ya kutu, zimpete za kutu.
Earth, *n.* *The globe inhabited by man,* dziko, (la) maiko.
—— *Soil or mould,* Ntaka, zintaka.
Earthiness, *n.* Untaka.
Earthliness, *n.* Umdziko.
Earthly, *a.* -*A*dziko.
Earthquake, *n.* Tshibvomezi, dzibvomezi *and* zibvomezi.
Earth-worm, *n.* Nyongolotsi, zinyongolotsi.
Earthy, *a.* -*A*ntaka.
Ease, *n.* Kupuma.
—— *v. t.* *To give quiet, rest, tranquillity,* Ku patsa ntendere; ku panga ntendere: ku pumitsa.
—— *To ease from pain,* Ku pepuza.
—— *v. i.* Ku pepuka.
—— *To ease from labour,* Ku puma.
—— *To ease one of a burden,* Ku peputsa.
—— *Oneself,* Ku nya.
Easily, *adv.* Kopepuka, kopepukwa.
East, *n.* (*wind*). Bvuma.
Eastward, *adv.* Kubvuma.
Easy, *a.* *Quiet, at rest,* -*A*puma.
—— *Easy to perform,* -*O*pepuka.
—— *Pleasant,* -*O*sekera.
Eat, *v. t.* *To eat food,* Ku dia.
—— **up,** *To waste,* Ku sakaza.
—— *To consume,* Ku dietsa.
—— **into or spread** (*as a disease*), Ku nyeka.
Eatable, *a.* *That which may be eaten,* -*A*kudia; -*O*dibwa.
Eaves, *n.* Ndzeka, midzeka.
Ebony, *n.* Pingo.
Echo, *n.* Namalowe *and* namaloe.
Eclipse, *n.* *Of the sun,* Tumba la dzua, matumba a dzua.
—— *Of the moon,* Tumba la mwezi, matumba a mwezi.
Edge, *n.* *The cutting part of an instrument,* Kukali kwa mpeni; kwakutwa.
Edge, *n.* *Edge or border of a garment,* mtsheu, mitsheu.
—— *Edge or rim of a cup or basin,* Pepetere, zimpepetere. *Or the edge of a precipice,* Pepetere, zimpepetere; mbali.
—— *v. t.* *To sharpen an instrument,* Ku nola.
—— *To put an edge or border on a garment,* Ku minika mtsheu.
—— *To set the teeth on edge,* Ku yayamira.
—— *To set up a thing on its edge,* Ku lambalaza.
Edgewise, *adv.* Kolambalaza.
Edging, *n.* Muwatshiru, miwatshiru.
—— *v.* *To put an edging on cloth,* Ku watshira.
Edification, *n.* Kumanga.
Edify, *v. t.* *To instruct,* Ku punzitsa.
—— *To build up, to strengthen,* Ku manga; ku mangira.
Educate, *v. t.* *To teach school knowledge,* Ku punzitsa.
—— *To form the character, to train,* Ku kwanutsa.
Educated, To be, *v. i.* *To have sense,* Ku kwanuka.
Education, *n.* *School training,* Kupunzira.
—— *Formation of character,* Kukwanuka.
Educator, *n.* Mpunzitsi, apunzitsi; wopunzitsi, opunzitsi.
Efface, *v. t.* *To obliterate,* Ku fafaniza; ku sokaniza.
Effect, *n.* *Result,* Funo, (la) mafuno.
—— *v. t.* Ku tshita; ku panga funo.
Effects, *n.* *Property, goods,* Tshintu, zintu.
Effectual, *a.* -*O*tera, -otetsa.
Effeminacy, *n.* Kuyeruka.
Effort, *n.* *Exertion of strength,* Ntshito.
—— *Endeavour,* Kuyesa.
—— *v. i.* *To make an effort,* Ku yesa.

Effulgence, *n.* Kuwala.
Egg, *n.* Dzira, (la) madzira.
Eight, *a.* -Sanu ndi -tatu.
Eighteen, *a.* Kumi ndi -sanu ndi -tatu.
Eighteenth, *a.* Kumi ndi -tshisanu ndi -tshitatu.
Eighth, *a.* -Tshisanu ndi -tshitatu.
Eighty, *n.* Makumi asanu ndi atatu.
Either, or, *conj.* Kapena-kapena, *with the affirmative conj. of verb. Sometimes* expressed *by* Nangokala.
Ejaculate, *v. i.* Ku tshula; ku pfula.
Ejaculation, *n.* Kutshula; kupfula.
Eject, *v. t.* *From a house or society,* Ku turutsa.
—— *To drive away, to expel,* Ku tshotsa; ku tamangitsa.
Ejectment, *n.* Kuturutsa.
Eland, *n.* *A large species of antelope,* Nsefu, zinsefu.
Elate, *v. t.* Ku sekeretsa.
Elated, *a.* -*O*sekera; -osekeredwa.
Elation, *n.* Kusekeretsa.
Elbow, *n.* *The elbow joint,* Tshigongono, dzigongono.
—— *Arm,* Nkono, mikono.
—— *v. t.* *To push through a crowd by using the elbows,* Ku kamula.
Elder, *n.* Mkuru, akuru.
—— *Older, senior to others,* -*A*ng'kuru.
—— *Brother or sister, according to the sex of speaker,* Njira, *with pron.,* Njiratshi, *his elder brother or her elder sister.*
Elderly, *a.* *Somewhat old,* -*A*ng'kuru.
Elect, *v. t.* *To choose, to select from others,* Ku sang'ka.
—— *v. i.* *To elect to an office,* Ku sang'kidwa.
——*n.* Wosang'kidwa, osang'kidwa.
Election, *n.* Kusang'ka; kusang'-'kidwa.
Elegance, / **Elegancy,** } *n.* Kukongola.
Elegant, *a.* -*O*kongola.
Elegantly, *adv.* Kokongola.
Elephant, *n.* Njobvu, **anjobvu** *and* zinjobvu.
Elevate, *v. t.* *To raise up,* Ku tukula.
—— *To exalt, to raise to higher rank or station,* Ku kulitsa; ku talikitsa.
Eleven, *a.* Kumi ndi -modzi.
Eleventh, *a.* Kumi ndi -tshimodzi.
Elf, *n.* *A wandering diminutive spirit,* Kanzukwa, timizukwa.
Elocution, *n.* *Elegant speech,* Ku lunjikiza.
Elope, *v. t.* Ku tawa ndi nkazi; ku tawa ndi mamuna.
Elopement, *n.* Kutawa ndi nkazi; kutawa ndi mamuna.
Eloquence, *n.* Kulunjikiza.
Eloquent, *a.* *An eloquent person,* -*O*lunjikiza.
Else, *adv.* Kani; *nothing else,* kulibe kantu unso.
Elsewhere, *n.* Malo ena; kwina; pena; mwina.
Elucidate, *v. t.* *Make plain,* Ku sonyeza.
Elude, *v. i.* *To avoid by artifice or dexterity,* Ku lewa.
Emaciate, *v. t.* Ku ondetsa.
—— *v. i.* *To grow lean, to lose flesh,* Ku li -oonda.
Emaciated, *a.* -*O*onda.
Emancipate, *v. t.* Ku panga waufulu; ku masula.
Emancipation, *n.* Kupanga waufulu.
Emasculate, *v. t.* Ku fula.
Embark, *v. i.* Ku loa m' tshombo.
Embarrass, *v. t.* Ku tshedwetsa.
Embarrassed, *a.* -*O*tshedwetsedwa.
Embarrassment, *n.* Kutshedwetsa.
Embellish, *v. i.* *The person,* Ku konza.
—— *v. t.* *To ornament,* Ku konzetsa.

Embellishment, *n.* Kukonza; kukonzetsa.
Embers, *n.* Makala a moto.
Emblem, *n.* *Sign,* Tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.
Embogue, *v. i.* Ku goma.
Embolden, *v. t.* Ku limbikitsa ntima; ku limbitsa.
Embouchure, *n.* Kugoma; gomero, (la) magomero; tsiriro, (la) matsiriro.
Embrace, *n.* Kufungamira; kufumbatira.
—— *v. t.* Ku fungamira; ku fumbatira.
Embrocate, *v. t.* Ku awitsa.
Embroil, *v. t.* Ku tetanitsa.
Emerald, *n.* Smarado.
Emetic, *n.* Kusanzitsa; tshosanzitsa.
Emmet, *n.* *An ant, according to kind,* Nyerere. (See **Ant.**)
Emotion, *n.* Kumva.
Emphen. *To say, either of assent or dissent,* Ku dzuma.
Emptiness, *n.* Utshabe.
—— *Interjection connected with this meaning,* e.g. *not hearing or seeing a thing,* Ndu. *Do you see the steamer? There is nothing!* Kodi uona stima? Kuli ndu!
Empty, *a.* -*A*tshabe; -opanda kantu.
—— *v. t.* *To empty a sack or box of things.* Ku kutula.
—— *To empty a vessel by drinking its contents,* Ku gugudira.
Enable, *v. t.* Ku limbitsa.
Enact, *v. t.* Ku tshita.
Encamp, *v. i.* Ku manga masasa.
Encampment, *n.* Tsasa, *and* mtsasa, nlasasa.
—— *Separate huts or booths,* Nsasa *and* msasa, misasa.
Enchant, *v. t.* *To bewitch,* Ku tweula.
—— *To kill by witchcraft by giving poison,* Ku lodza.
Enchanter, *n.* Wotweula, otweula; wolodza, olodza.
Encircle, *v. t.* *To surround a place,* Ku zunguniza.
—— *To go round,* Ku zungulira.
Enclose, *v. t.* *As land by a fence,* Ku tshinga.
Enclosure, *n.* *As a hedge,* Tshinga, (la) matshinga.
—— *Of wicker-work in the open air, as a store for corn,* Nkokwe, zinkokwe.
Encompass, *v. t.* Ku zungulira.
Encounter, *v. t.* *In conflict,* Ku menyana.
—— *In argument,* Ku gazitsana; ku sing'ka.
Encourage, *v. t.* *To urge on,* Ku fulumiza; ku kakamiza.
—— *By shouts, as in the chase,* Ku kwiakwiza.
Encouragement, *n.* Kufulumiza.
End, *n.* *Of a line or thong,* Nsonga, zinsonga.
—— *The conclusion or cessation of a matter or action,* Kuleka; kumara.
—— *Outlet of a stream,* Gomero, (la) magomero.
—— *The end or breaking up of a purpose,* Kuswa; kuleka; kutaia.
—— *Purpose,* Nsonga, zinsonga.
—— *Cessation,* Kuleka.
—— *v. t.* *To finish, to terminate an action,* Ku ta.
—— *v. i.* *To cease operations,* Ku leka.
—— *Finish, accomplish,* Ku mara; ku mariza.
Endanger, *v. t.* *To imperil,* Ku tsekereza.
—— *To be in danger,* Ku tsekerezwa.
Endear, *v. t.* Ku kondetsa.
Endeavour, *v. t.* *To try,* Ku yesa *and* yeza; esa *and* eza; etsa *and* yetsa.
—— *n.* Kuyesa.
Endless, *a.* -*O*panda nsonga.
—— *Indissoluble,* -*O*samariza.

Endurance, *n.* *Patience*, Kulongosola; kulekereza.
Endure, *v. i.* *To bear*, Ku pwetekwa; ku mvabe.
—— *To suffer*, Ku mva (*lit. to hear*).
—— *To continue*, Ku kala; ku kalabe.
Endwise, *adv.* Kotsogoza; kotantalika.
Enemy, *n.* *Hostile army*, Ankhondo a-; maliwongo.
—— *An individual enemy*, Liwongo, maliwongo.
Energetic, } *a.* -*A*tshangu.
Energetical, }
Energy, *n.* Tshangu.
Enervate, *v. t.* Ku foketsa.
Enforce, *v. t.* *To compel, to urge on*, Ku fulumiza; ku kakamiza.
—— *To cause to take effect*, Ku panga.
—— *To invigorate*, Ku limbikitsa.
Engage, *v. t.* *To bind by contract, as a servant*, Ku pangana ndi.
—— *v. i.* *To embark in any enterprise*, Ku tshita; ku amba.
—— *To begin to fight, as armies*, Ku menyana.
Engagement, *n.* *Agreement or contract*, Kupangana.
—— *In battle*, Kumenyana nkondo.
Engender, *v. t.* *To beget between the different sexes*, Ku bala.
—— *To impregnate, of the male sex*, Ku balitsa.
—— *As applied to the female* (*to conceive*), Ku bala; ku bvuuka.
—— *To be pregnant*, Ku li ndi mimba.
—— *To engender strife*, Ku panga ndeu; ku teta ndeu.
English, *n.* *The people of England*, S. Ngelezi, Angelezi.
—— *Belonging to Englishmen*, *A*ngelezi.
—— *The language of England*, Tshingelezi.
Engrave, *v. t.* *As a figure*, Ku tsheka; ku lemba. *A graven image*, Kulemba.
—— *To engrave words or sentences on stone or metal*, Ku lemba.
Enigma, *n.* *Conundrum*, Ntanti zintanti.
Enjoin, *v. t.* *To command, to charge*, Ku uza.
Enjoy, *v. i.* Ku sekera; ku kondwera.
Enjoyment, *n.* *Active pleasures*, Kusekera, masekero.
—— *State of enjoyment*, Tshimwemwe.
Enlarge, *v. t.* *In quantity*, Ku tshurukitsa.
—— *In dimensions*, Ku kulitsa.
Enlighten, *v. t.* *To give light*, Ku wala; ku unika.
—— *To instruct, to give clearly*, Ku punzitsa; ku dziwitsa.
Enliven, *v. t.* *To make sprightly*, Ku seketsa.
—— *To make gay or joyous*, Ku sekeretsa.
Enmity, *n.* *Tribal or national*, Kukwia; kudana.
—— *Individual*, Kukwia; Kukwirana.
Ennoble, *v. t.* Ku tshukitsa; ku buka.
Enough, *a.* *In quantity*, -*A*mbiri.
—— *Sufficient for the purpose*, -*O*tshuruka; -okwana.
—— *Of food*, Kudia, kokwana.
—— *Cattle are enough*, Ng'ombe ziri zokwana.
—— **To be.** Ku kwana; ku kwanitsa; kuli kukwana.
Enrich, *v. t.* Ku lemeza; ku lemeretsa.
Enroll, *v. t.* Ku lemba (maina), ku lembera.
Ensample, *n.* Sonyezo, (la) masonyezo.
Enslave, *v. t.* Ku panga kapolo; ku yesa kapolo; ku gwidwa.
Ensnare, *v. t.* *As a bird in a trap* (*or in talk*), Ku gwira; ku kola.

Entangle, *v. t.* *As string,* Ku sokonekeza.
—— *v. i.* Ku sokonekera; ku kodwa.
—— *To entangle, as a bird in a string or snare,* Ku gwira, ku kola.
Entanglement, *n.* Kusokonekera.
Enter, *v. i.* Ku loa.
—— *v. t.* Ku loeza.
Enterprise, *n.* *An undertaking,* Ntshito, zintshito.
—— *An attempt,* Kuyesa.
Entertain, *v. t.* *To receive into the house,* Ku landira; ku landira olendo; ku sunga olendo; ku sungira; ku kalitsa.
—— *To amuse or instruct by discourse,* Ku sekeretsa. *He entertained us much with his conversation,* Anasekeretsa ife kwambiri ndi kulankula kwatshi.
Enterfainment, *n.* Kusekeretsa.
Enthusiasm, *n.* Kufunitsitsa.
Enthusiast, *n.* Wofunitsitsa, ofunitsitsa.
Entice, *v. t.* *To lead away,* Ku nyenga; ku nyengera, *also* nyenjera.
—— *By gifts or arguments,* Ku senyenga.
Enticement, *n.* Kunyenga; kusenyenga.
Enticer, *n.* Wonyenga, onyenga; wakunyenga, akunyenga.
Entire, *a.* *-O*nse.
—— *adv.* *Abiding,* Tshikalire, *adj.* *-a*tshikalire.
—— *Perfect.* *-O*ta; -akuta.
Entomb, *v. t.* Ku ika m' mwanda.
Entrails, *n.* Matumbo.
Entrance, *n.* *The act of entering into a place,* Kuloa.
—— *The place of entrance, a doorway,* Komo, (la) makomo.
—— *A gateway,* Komo, (la) makomo.
—— *A small gateway,* Tshiterera, dziterera.
Entrap, *v. t.* *As game,* Ku gwira m' nsampa; ku gwira munsampa; ku kodwetsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku kodwa.
—— *By artifice,* Ku nyenga.
—— *To set a trap for game,* Ku tshera nsampa.
—— *To inveigle, to take advantage of by wile or stratagem,* Ku nyenjera.
—— *In words,* Ku tapa nkamwa.
Entreat, *v. t.* *To supplicate, to ask for mercy,* Ku pempa.
—— *shamefully,* Ku tshita manyazi; ku ipidwa.
—— *To importune,* Ku pempetsa.
Entry, *n.* *Of a house or of a field or cattle-fold,* Komo, (la) makomo.
Entwine, *v. t.* Ku tserenga; ku tserengana.
Entwining, *n.* Kutserenga; kutserengana.
Entwist, *v. t.* *As a gun with fine brass wire,* Ku serenga, *and* tserenga.
Enumerate, *v. t.* Ku werenga.
Envious, *a.* *-O*dana.
Enviously, *adv.* Kodana.
Envious one, *n.* *An ill-wisher,* Tshisimo, dzisimo.
Envy, *n.* Dano, (la) madano; kudikidwa.
—— *v. t.* Ku dana.
Epidemic, *n.* Uliri, (wa) mauliri.
Epidermis, *n.* Masuula a kungu.
Epilepsy, *n.* Tshizumbazumba, dzizumbazumba; mzumbazumba.
Epileptic, *n.* Watshizumbazumba, atshizumbazumba.
Epistle, *n.* Epistola, (la) maepistola.
Equal, *a.* *To be equal in size or dimensions,* *-A*modzimodzi monga awa; *-o*lingana.
—— *Adequate to,* *-O*tshuruka.
—— *v. t.* *To make equal,* Ku faniza.
—— *n.* *One not inferior or superior to another,* *W*ofanafana, ofanafana.

Equality, *n.* Umodzi.
Equity, *n.* Kulinganiza.
Era, *n.* Kugonera, magonero.
Eradicate, *v. t.* *To pull up by the roots,* Ku kadzula.
—— *As weeds from a garden,* Ku palira.
—— *As bad habits,* Ku tshotsa.
Erase, *v. t.* Ku fafaniza.
Erect, *v. t.* *As a building,* Ku manga.
—— *To set up,* Ku imika; ku imitsa.
Erection, *n.* Kumanga.
Ere long, *adv.* Tsopano apo.
Err, *v. i.* *To wander, to mistake,* Ku sotshera.
—— *To transgress, to commit error,* Ku tshimwa.
—— *Miss the mark,* Ku pita; ku ponya.
Erring one, *n.* Wotshimwa, otshimwa; wosotshera, osotshera.
Erroneous, *a.* *Wrong, not conformable to truth,* -Onama.
—— *Deviating by mistake from the truth,* -Otshimwa.
Error, *n.* *A transgression,* Kutshimwa; tshimo, (la) matshimo.
—— *A mistake in judgment,* Kusadziwitsa.
Eruption, *n.* *On the body, a kind of eczema,* Pere, zimpere; tshibubu, zibubu.
—— *v. i.* *To break out in an eruption on the body,* Ku buka; ku bukitsa.
Escape, *v. i.* *From danger, of a person,* Ku pulumuka.
—— *To flee from danger,* Ku tawa.
—— *To escape or slip from the grasp of another,* Ku pulumuka.
—— *n.* *The act of fleeing from danger,* Kutawa.
Escort, *v. t.* Ku perekeza.
Especially, *adv.* Kopambana.
Espouse, *v. t.* Ku kwatitsa.
Espy, *v. i.* Ku zonda.
Essence, *n.* *Or essential oil,* Mafuta.
—— *Or substance or heart of a thing,* Ntsemerero, mitsemerero.
Establish, *v. t.* Ku limbikitsa.
Estate, *n.* *Condition,* Makalidwe.
Esteem, *v. t.* Ku lemekeza; ku weruza; ku ganikiza.
—— *n.* Ulemu.
Eternal, *a.* -Osamariza, -amagonero.
Eternity, *n.* Ntawi yonse; kugonera kwa magonero.
Eunuch, *n.* Mfule, mifule.
Euphorbia, *n.* Khadzi, zinkhadzi.
Evacuate, *v. i.* Ku turuka.
—— *v. t.* Ku turutsa.
Evacuation, *n.* Kuturutsa.
—— *v.* Ku turuka.
Evade, *v. t.* *To avoid by dexterity,* Ku lewa.
—— *To elude by stratagem,* Ku nyenga.
—— *By going round about,* Ku lambalala.
Evangelist, *n.* 'Mevangeli, aevangeli; muevangeli; waevangeli.
Evaporate, *v. i.* Ku pwa.
—— *v. t.* Ku pwetsa.
Evaporation, *n.* Kupwa; kupwetsa.
Evasion, *n.* Kukotetsakotetsa; kukotakota.
Evasively, *adv.* Kokotakota.
Evasiveness, *n.* Kukotakota.
Even, *a.* *Level with, parallel to,* -Olungama; -ase.
—— *Smooth of itself,* -Ofafanizika.
—— *v. t.* *To make smooth,* Ku fafaniza.
—— *Emphatically.* Inde.
Even as, *interj.* Ngwiro.
—— *adv.* *Denoting a like manner or degree,* Inde monga. *Even as I said,* Inde monga dinanena.
Evening, *n.* Dzulo.
—— *adv.* *At or in the evening,* Madzulo.
—— *This evening,* Madzulo uno.

Ever, *adv.* Ntawi yonse.
—— *Abiding.* Tshikalire.
—— *For ever,* Kwa ntawi yonse; kwatshikalire.
—— *For ever and ever.* Kwa ntawi yonse ndi yonse.
—— *Ever since,* Kwa ntawi. *Ever since he was born,* Kwa ntawi anabadwa.
—— *Long ago,* Kali.
Everlasting, *a.* -*O*samariza.
Everlasting life, *n.* Moyo wosamariza.
Everlastingly, *adv.* Kosamariza; kwa ntawi yonse.
Every, *a.* *Every one,* Konse; -*O*nse. *The prefix changes with that of the noun referred to. Every person,* Antu onse. *Every house,* Nyumba zonse.
Every day, *n.* Masiku onse.
—— *Day by day, each day,* Siku ndi siku.
Evidence, *Testimony,* } *n.* Kumariza.
—— *Proof,* }
—— *v. t.* *To witness,* Ku mariza.
—— *To show, to make manifest,* Ku sonya tshifukwa.
Evident, *a.* *Manifest,* -*O*onedwa; -*o*onade.
—— *To be evident,* Ku onedwa.
Evil, *n.* *Moral evil,* Mpulupulu, zimpulupulu.
—— *Natural evil,* Kwaipa.
—— *Misfortune,* Mpingu, mipingu.
—— *v.* *To evil entreat,* Ku tshita nkarwe.
—— *To wish evil to happen to one,* Ku yesa tshisimo.
—— *To be evil affected towards,* Ku kala -*a*kukwia.
—— *a.* -*O*ipa.
—— **Deeds,** *n.* Tshakwaipa, zakwaipa.
Ewe, *n.* Nkosa yeikazi.
Exact, *v. t.* Ku lera; ku wawanya.
—— *a.* -*A*kudziwitsa.
Exactly, *adv.* *To be exactly alike,* Kofana; modzimodzi.
—— *Carefully,* Koyang'anira.
Exactly so! Tshointsho nditu!
Exaggerate, *v. t.* Ku kuza ndi nkamwa.
Exalt, *v. t.* *To raise in social condition,* Ku kulitsa; ku talitsa.
—— *To ennoble,* Ku tshukitsa; ku talikitsa.
—— *To praise, to exalt by praise,* Ku tama; ku pambanitsa.
Exaltation, *n.* Kupambanitsa.
Examination, *n.* *As of a school,* Kufunsa.
—— *As to the truth of a matter,* Kufunsitsa.
Examine, *v. t.* *By interrogating,* Ku funsa; ku funsira.
—— *To carefully examine into the truth of a matter by diligent search, to try,* Ku funsitsa; ku yesa.
Example, *n.* *A pattern, a model applied to material things,* Faniziro, (la) mafaniziro.
—— *An example of conduct,* Sonyezo, (la) masonyezo; nsonyo, misonyo.
Exasperate, *v. t.* Ku kwiitsa.
Exasperated, *v. i.* Ku kwiitsidwa.
Exasperation, *n.* Kukwiitsa; kukwiitsidwa.
Excavate, *v. t.* Ku kumba.
—— *To make concave,* Ku tendeula.
Excavation, *n.* *A trench or furrow,* Ntshera, mitshera.
—— *A hole or pit,* Dzenje, maenje.
—— *Pitfall,* Mbuna, zimbuna.
Exceed, *v. t.* *To pass or go beyond,* Ku pita; ku pitirira.
—— *To surpass, to excel,* Ku pambana; ku posa; ku pitira.
—— *To abound,* Ku tshurutsa.
Exceeding, *a.* -*Ang'*kuru; -*O*pambana.
Excel, *v.t.* (*See* **Exceed.**) Ku pambana; ku posa; ku punda.
Excellence, } *n.* *In workmanship,*
Excellency, } Ubwino.

Excellent, *a.* -*A*bwino; -*o*pambana.
Except, *v. To leave out,* Ku tsala; ku tsalitsa; ku tsalitswa.
Exchange, *v. t. To barter,* Ku sintana.
—— *n.* Maronda; kusintana.
Exchanger, *n.* Wosinta, osinta.
Excite, *v. t. To rouse, to call into action,* Ku itana.
—— *To excite by causing fear,* Ku opetsa.
—— *To stimulate, to encourage,* Ku fulumiza.
Excitement, *n.* Kufulumira.
Exclaim, *v. i.* Ku tshula; ku pfula.
Exclamation, *n.* Tshulo, (la) matshulo; kupfula.
Exclude, *v. t. To eject,* Ku turutsa.
—— *To debar from, as to exclude from entering any place,* Ku letsa ku loa.
—— *To exclude from a church, as a religious organization,* Ku tseka kunja.
Excrement, *n. Human,* matuvi.
Exculpate, *v. t. To clear from guilt,* Ku lombola.
Excuse, *v. i.* Ku dzipambanuza.
—— *v. t. To excuse, or make an excuse for another,* Ku pambanuza.
—— *To make excuse from an obligation wilfully,* Ku bvumbuka.
—— *n.* Pambanuzo, (la) mapambanuzo.
Execrate, *v. t. To curse,* Ku tukwana.
—— *To detest, to abhor,* Ku kwia; ku nyansa.
Execration, *n.* Tukwano, (la) matukwano.
Execute, *v. t. To perform, to do,* ku tshita.
—— *To complete,* Ku ta; ku mariza.
—— *To inflict capital punishment,* Ku pa.
Executor, *n.* Wosiiridwa, osiiridwa.
Exercise oneself, *v. i.* Ku dzitshita; ku dziyesa.
Exhalation, *n.* Kutemula, matemulo.
Exhale, *v. Of person,* Ku puma; ku pumira.
—— *Of a place,* Ku temula.
Exhaust, *v. t. To exhaust the contents of a vessel by drinking,* Ku ta; ku mariza.
—— *To exhaust the strength of a person,* Ku foketsa.
Exhausted, *a. Weakened, as a person exhausted by over exertion,* -*O*foka.
—— *Expended, wholly used up,* -*A*kuta! -omara.
Exhibit, *v. t.* Ku sonya; ku sonyeza.
Exhibition, *n.* Kusonya.
Exhibitor, *n.* Wakusonya, akusonya.
Exhilarate, *v. t. To make glad,* Ku sekeretsa.
—— *To make merry,* Ku seketsa.
Exhilaration, *n.* Kusekeretsa.
Exhort, *v. t. To warn,* Ku tshenjeza; ku taulira.
—— *To advise,* Ku weruza; ku lungamitsa; ku tintimika.
—— *To entreat,* Ku pempa.
Exhortation, *n.* Kutaulira; tauliro, (la) matauliro; yeruzo, (la) mayeruzo; kutintimika.
Exhorter, *n.* Wakutaulira, akutaulira.
Exile, *n.* Wotshotsedwa, otshotsedwa.
—— *v. t.* Ku tshotsa.
Exist, *v. i. To be,* Ku li; *better* ku kala.
—— *To live,* Ku kala ndi moyo.
Existence, *n.* Moyo, mioyo.
Exorcist, *n.* Woturutsa, oturutsa.
Expand, *v. i.* Ku tupa; ku kula.
Expanse, *n. The visible heavens,* Mlengalenga, milengalenga.

Expansion, *n.* *Of iron,* Kutanuka.
—— *Of air,* Kutupa.
—— *Of umbrella,* Kutumula.
—— *Of cloth spread out,* Kuyala.
Expect, *v. i.* Ku yang'anira.
Expectation, *n.* *Looking forward to the event,* Kuyang'anira.
—— *Waiting for an event to transpire which is expected,* Kulindira.
—— *Hope,* Kulingalira, malingaliro.
Expectorate, *v. t.* Ku labvula mate.
Expectoration, *n.* *That which is expectorated,* Mate.
Expedient, *a.* *Proper,* -*A*bwino.
—— *Advantageous,* -*O*pindula.
Expedite, *v. t.* Ku fulumiritsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku fulumira.
Expedition, *n.* *Speed,* Nsangu.
—— *An enterprise,* Ntshito, zintshito.
—— *A journey,* Ulendo.
—— *Its members,* Olendo.
Expel, *v. t.* *To drive out,* Ku turutsa.
Expend, *v. t.* *As money,* Ku ta; ku mariza.
Expense, *n.* *His own price or charges,* Ntengo watshi.
Experience, *v. i.* *To know by trial or practice,* Ku dziwa; ku yesa.
—— *n.* *Knowledge derived from trials,* Kudziwa.
—— *Prudence,* Tshisao.
Experiment, *n.* *A trial,* Kuyesa.
—— *v. t.* Ku yesa.
Experimentally, *adv.* Koyesa.
Expert, *a.* -*A*nzeru.
Expertly, *adv.* Nsanga; ndi tshangu.
Expiate, *v. t.* *Atone for,* Ku lipira; ku pereka dipo.
Expiation, *n.* Dipo, (la) malipo; kulipira.
Expire, *v. t.* *To breathe out,* Ku pumira.
—— *v. i.* *To die,* Ku tsiridzika; ku fa.
Expiring, *pres. part.* *Dying,* -*A*kufa.
Explain, *v. t.* Ku sonya; ku sonyeza; ku punzitsa; ku uza.
Explanation, *n.* Sonyo, (la) masonyo; sonyezo, (la) masonyezo.
Explicate, *v. t.* *To unfold the meaning,* Ku tantauzira.
—— *To remove obscurity,* Ku sonyeza.
Explode, *v. i.* Ku tutuma.
Explosion, *n.* Kututuma.
Expose, *v. t.* *To view,* Ku sonya.
—— *To disclose, to lay open,* Ku sonyeza.
—— *To inform,* Ku taulira.
—— *To uncover, to draw from concealment,* Ku bvumbula.
—— *Expose evil,* Ku nyaza; ku nyazitsa.
Expostulate, *v. i.* Ku dzudzula.
Expostulation, *n.* Kudzudzula.
Expound, *v. t.* Ku uza; ku punzitsa; ku zizika; Ku tantauzira.
Express, *v. t.* *To squeeze out,* Ku pfinya; ku psinya.
—— *Skim off oil in preparing it from seeds or nuts,* Ku enga.
—— *To declare in words,* Ku uza.
Expression, *n.* Mau; kuuza.
Expressly, *adv.* Poyera; nditu.
Exquisite, *a.* -*A*bwinitso.
Exquisitely, *adv.* Kwabwinitso.
Exquisiteness, *n.* Ubwinitso.
Extend, *v. t.* *In length,* Ku tali; ku talikitsa.
—— *To cause to reach,* Ku fitsa.
—— *To spread out,* Ku yala.
—— *To enlarge,* Ku kulitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku kula.
Extension, *n.* *In length,* Mulitali (mwatshi); utali; kutali.
—— *In breadth,* Kupingasa.
Extent, *n.* *In length,* Utali.
—— *In breadth,* Bwambi.
External, *a.* Kunja; panja.
Exterminate, *v. t.* *By scattering,* Ku balalitsa.
—— *By destroying,* Ku mwaza.

Extinct, *a.* *As fire,* -*O*nzima.
—— *Having ceased to be,* -*A*kuta ; -*o*ta ; -*o*mara.
Extinguish, *v. t.* *As fire,* Ku zima.
—— *To put an end to,* Ku mariza.
Extirpate, *v. t.* *To pull or pluck up by the roots,* Ku kadzula.
—— *To destroy entirely,* Ku mwaza.
Extol, *v. t.* Ku tama.
Extort, *v. t.* Ku wawanga; ku bera.
Extortion, *n.* Kulanda.
Extortioner, *n.* Woawanga, oawanga ; woledzera, oledzera.
Extract, *v. t.* *As a thorn from the flesh,* Ku tshotsa.
—— *As honey by the bee from flowers,* Ku tenga.
—— *To take away, as weeds from a garden,* Ku zula.
—— *To take out, as a handful,* Ku tapa.
—— *To pour out and leave,* Ku pungula.
—— *As teeth,* Ku gulula.
Extremity, *n.* *The end, as of a rope,* Nsonga, zinsonga.
—— *End,* Kumara.
Exude, *v. i.* *To leak out,* Ku tshita tshime.
Exult, *v. i.* Ku sekera. *To exult in another's misfortunes,* Ku limba ntima.
Exultation, *n.* Kuseka ; kusekera.
Eye, *n.* *The organ of vision,* Diso, (la) maso.
—— *Eye of a needle, etc.* Diso la singano, maso a asingano; panda la singano, mapanda a asingano.
—— *v. t.* *To watch narrowly,* Ku yang'anitsa.
Eyeball, *n.* Diso, (la) maso.
Eyebrow, *n.* Sidze, zinsidze.
Eyelash, *n.* Nkwinkwi, zinkwinkwi.
Eyelid, *n.* Tshikope, dzikope.
Eye-tooth, *n.* Katsonje, akatsonje.
Eye-salve, *n.* Mankwala a maso.
Eye-service, *n.* Kutshita pa maso.
Eye-wink, *n.* Kutwanima.

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F has in Chinyanja the sound of *f* in *fat.*

Fable, *n.* Ntanu, zintanu.
—— *More of conundrum or proverb,* Ntanti, zintanti.
—— *v. i.* Ku nama ; ku nena ntanu *or* bodza.
Fabrication, *n.* *A falsehood,* Kunama ; bodza, (la) mabodza.
Face, *n.* *The visage,* Nkope, zinkope.
—— *Before the face, or in the face of,* Patsogolo pa nkope. *Before his face,* Patsogolo pa nkope yatshi. *That was done in the face of all the people,* Tshimene tshinatshitidwa patsogolo pa antu onse.
—— *v. i.* *To meet in front,* Ku gumana.
—— *To oppose with firmness,* Ku ima.
—— *To look stedfastly at, to face by steady looking,* Ku yang'anitsa.
—— *To make faces in derision,* Ku nyodola.
—— *To face the wind,* Ku loza.
—— *To face towards,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *Face to face,* Nkope ndi nkope.
Fact, *n.* *A true thing,* Kantu koona ; tshoona, zoona.
—— *Truth,* Nteradi.
Faction, *n.* Kulekanitsa, malekanitso ; gawano, (la) magawano ; lekano, (la) malekano.
Factious, *a.* -*O*nyansidwa ; -*a*kugawa.
Fade, *v. i.* *As a leaf,* Ku uma ; ku nyala *and* ku sonyala ; ku fa.
—— *As colours,* Ku suka.
Fail, *v. i.* *Not producing the effect designed,* Ku pereweza.
—— *As a crop,* Ku pserera *and* ku perewera.

Fail, *v. i. To come short,* Ku lepera.
—— *Morally,* Ku tshimwa.
Fain, *v. i. To like, to wish to do,* Ku funa.
Faint, *v. i. Directing attention to the unconsciousness,* Ku komoka. *Directing attention to the recovery of consciousness,* Ku tsitsimuka.
—— *To be weary,* Ku foka.
—— *a.* -*O*komoka; -otsitsimuka; -ofoka.
Faint-hearted, *a.* -ontuntumira ntima; -ofoka ntima.
Fair, *a.* -*O*kongola.
Faith, *n.* Mvanu; kumvana.
Faithful, *a.* -*a*mvanu; ndi mvanu.
Faithfully, *adv.* Kwamvanu.
Faithfulness, *n.* Kumvana; mvanu.
Faithless, *a.* -osamvana.
Fall, *v. i. To fall down on the ground,* Ku gwa.
—— *To fall off, as leaves,* Ku gwa.
—— *To fall back, to recede,* Ku bwera.
—— *To fall sick,* Ku dwala; ku amba ku dwala.
—— *To fall out, or quarrel,* Ku kwiana; ku pangana ndeu.
—— *To fall over a thing by coming into contact with it, to stumble,* Ku puntwa.
—— *To fall into sin,* Ku kwiitsa; ku tshimwa.
—— *To fall headlong,* Ku gwa mutu patsogolo.
—— *To fall in with, to concur,* Ku anjana.
—— *To fall or run against an object, so as to impede progress and be driven back,* Ku letsa.
—— *To fall to pieces from internal separation of parts,* Ku nyokotoka.
—— *To fall over from the perpendicular, as a vehicle or a wall,* Ku pendeka.
—— *To fall away, as in flesh,* Ku onda.
—— *To apostatize,* Ku tembenuka.
Fall, *v. i. To fall off, as plaster from a wall, or earth from a cutting when a landslip occurs,* Ku gumuka.
—— *To fall out, to happen,* Ku fika.
—— *v. t. To throw or strike down to the ground,* Ku gwesa *and* ku gwetsa.
—— *To fall short,* Ku pereweza.
—— *n. The act of falling,* Kugwa.
—— *A steep declivity,* Kutsererekа.
False, *a.* -*O*nama; -onyenga.
Falsehood, *n.* Kunama; bodza, (la) mabodza; tshakunama, zakunama.
Falsely, *adv.* Konama.
False-swearer, *n.* Wosinjirira, osinjirira.
Fame, *n. Report,* mbiri, zimbiri.
Famed, *a.* -*O*buka.
Familiar, *n. A close companion,* Nza, anza.
—— *v. i. To be well acquainted with,* Ku zolowerana.
Family, *n. Tribe,* Fuko, (la) mafuko. *Household,* Banja, (la) mabanja utate.
Famine, *n.* Njala, zinjala; njala yeikuru.
Famish, *v. i. To die of hunger,* Ku fa ndi njala.
Famished, *p.p.* -*O*onda; ku li ndi njala.
Famous, *a. Of prowess in killing, as a warrior or hunter,* -obuka.
—— *In arts of peace,* -odziwika; -odziwidwa.
Fan, *v. t. To winnow,* ku peta.
—— *To fan a person,* Ku kupiza.
—— *n. An instrument for winnowing grain,* Litshero, (la) malitshero. *Whose fan is in His hand,* Litshero la emwe liri m' dzanja latshi.
—— *For fanning a person,* Nkupizo, mikupizo.
Fancy, *v. i. Imagine, guess at,* Ku ganiza; ku ganizadala.
—— *n.* Kudzifanizira; kuganiza.

Fang, *n.* *Of serpent,* Dzino la njoka, mano a njoka.
—— *Talons of a bird, or of a carnivorous animal,* Tshikabado, dzikabado.
Far, *adv.* *Distant,* Kutali; -*a*kutali.
Farewell, *v. i.* *Go,* Pita bwino. *Remain well,* Kala bwino; tsala bwino. *Farewell, friend,* Tsala bwino, mbali.
—— *To bid farewell,* Ku tsazika.
—— *n.* Kutsazika.
Farm, *n.* Munda, minda. *Of the chief, or one wrought by others,* Gala, (la) magala.
Fashion, *v. t.* *To form,* Ku omba; ku ombera; ku faniza; ku fanizira.
—— *n.* *A custom,* Ntengo; mwambi; makalidwe.
Fast, *a.* *Firm,* -*O*limba; -ogwidwa. *The post is fast in the ground,* Panda liri lolimba m' ntunda.
—— *v. i.* *To abstain from food,* Ku leka kudia.
—— *n.* *Abstinence from food,* Kuleka kudia.
Fasten, *v. t.* *To tie, as a parcel,* Ku manga.
—— *The eyes upon,* Ku yang'anitsa.
—— *To tie up, as a horse,* Ku manga.
—— *To make fast and secure,* Ku limbikitsa.
—— *To fasten or bind with a chain or buckle,* Ku koloweka.
Fastness, *n.* *A stronghold,* Malo opulumukira.
Fat, *a.* *Fleshy, in good condition,* -*O*nenepa; -onona, *which is not used of the human species. A fat ox,* Ng'ombe yonenepa.
—— *n.* *The fat of animal flesh,* Mafuta. *The inside or caul fat,* Tshikanje, dzikanje. *Pieces or lumps of hard fat,* Dzikanje; mafuta.
Fatal, *a.* *That which takes life,* -*A*kupa moyo. *A fatal blow,* Kumenya kwapa moyo. *A fatal wound,* Bala lapa moyo. *A fatal accident,* Mpingu wapa moyo.
Father, *n.* Atate: *with pron. following,* atatu, *and plu. concord.*
—— *My father,* atatu anga.
—— *Your father,* Atatu anu.
—— *His or her father,* Atatu atshi.
Fatherhood, *n.* Utate; atate.
Father-in-law, *n.* *Of a wife,* Pongozi, apongozi.
—— *Of a husband,* Pongozi, apongozi; atata atshi; nkweni, akweni. *This word is also used like* atate, *as Mr. or Sir.*
Fatherless, *n.* -*O*panda atate.
Fatigue, *n.* Kulema.
—— *v. i.* Ku lema; ku topa.
—— *v. t.* Ku lemetsa.
Fatness, *n.* *Richness of ground,* Zolemera.
—— Kunenepa, (*of man*); kunona kwa mbuzi (*of a goat*).
Fatted, *a.* -*O*nenepetsedwa.
Fatten, *v. t.* Ku nenepetsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku nenepa.
Fault, *n.* *Blemish, defect,* Banga, (la) mabanga *and* maanga.
—— *Moral offence,* Tshimo, (la) matshimo. *It is your fault,* Tshiri tshimo lako.
Faultless, *a.* -*O*panda tshimo.
Favour, *v. t.* Ku anja.
—— *n.* Kwanja, manjo; kusekera.
Favourably, *adv.* *Kindly,* Kokoma.
—— *Helpfully,* kotangata.
Favoured, *a.* -*O*anjanidwa.
Favourite, *n.* Wokondedwa, okondedwa.
—— *a.* -*O*kondedwa.
Fear, *v. i.* Ku opa.
—— *n.* Kuopa; manta.
Fearful, *a.* *Timid,* -*O*opa. *Terrible,* -*O*opsa; -oopsera.
—— *n.* Wakuopa, akuopa.

Feast, *n.* Kudia.
—— *v. t. To make a feast,* Ku panga kudia.
Feather, *n. A long feather,* Ntenga, zintenga.
—— *The downy feathers of birds,* Ubwea.
Fee, *n. Reward of service wrought,* Kulipira; lipiro, (la) malipiro.
Feeble, *a. Infirm, weak,* -*O*foka.
—— *Wanting force or vigour,* -*O*panda mpamvu.
Feebleness, *n.* Kufoka.
Feed, *v. t. To give food to another,* Ku patsa kudia; ku eta *and* weta; ku lera.
—— *To feed a child, or a bird, by placing food in the mouth,* Ku dietsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku dia.
Feel, *v. i. To have perception of things by the touch,* Ku tosa; ku kudza.
—— **pain,** Ku mva.
—— *To feel as in testing thickness, etc., of cloth,* Ku tinyinda.
—— *To feel by examining with the hand, to handle, to grasp, as a soft substance,* Ku tosa.
—— *To search after a thing in the dark by feeling after it, to grope for,* Ku ambasa; ku fufunyira.
Feeling, *n.* Kumva.
—— *Sympathizing,* -*A*kumva; *and* -omva. *A man sympathizing with the sorrows of men,* Muntu amva ndi nsoni za antu.
Feet, *n. Of the human body,* Pazi, (la) mapazi.
—— *Of animals: cloven, as the ox and carnivora,* Tshikato, dzikato.
Feign, *v. i.* Ku nyenga.
Felicitate, *v. t.* Ku sekeretsa.
Felicity, *n.* Tshimwemwe; kusekera.
Fell, *v. t. To bring to the ground,* Ku gwetsa.
—— *To kill,* Ku pa.
Fellow, *n. A companion or equal,* Nza, anza.
—— *A playfellow,* Wosowera-nzanga (*my*).
—— *A bed-fellow,* Nza wapampasa.
—— *A cunning, sharp fellow,* Muntu wotshenjera. *Cunning fellow,* Muntu wonyenganyenga.
Fellow-heir, *n.* Woloanzao oloanzao (*their*).
Fellowship, *n.* Uzatshi; unzatshi.
Female, *n. In general,* Nkazi.
—— *A domestic fowl, a hen,* Nkuku yeitadzi.
—— *a.* -*a*nkazi.
Feminine, *a.* -*A*nkazi.
Fence, *v. t. To enclose with a hedge,* Ku tshinga.
—— *To fight with swords or sticks,* Ku lewetsa.
—— *n.* Mpanda, mipanda; tshinga, (la) matshinga.
Ferment, *v. t.* Ku tupitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku tupa; ku wira.
—— *n.* Fumba, zimfumba.
Fermentation, *n.* Kutupitsa, kuwiritsa.
Ferry, *v. t.* Ku olotsa.
Fertile, *v. i.* Ku nona.
—— *a. A fertile field,* -*O*nona.
Fertility, *n.* Kukondwa.
Fervency, *n.* Tshitungu.
Fervent, *a.* -*O*limba; tshitungu tsholimba; -otenta; -otenta mutima; *a*kutentedwa; *o*tentedwa.
Fervently, *adv.* Kwatshitungu; kolimba.
Fervour, *n.* Kulimba.
Fetch, *v. t.* Ku tenga.
—— *To draw water,* Ku tunga *madzi.*
Fetter, *v. t.* Ku fungira; ku manga.
Fetters, *n.* Grigadyera, (la) magrigadyera.
Feud, *n.* Ndeu, zindeu.
Fever, *n.* Malungo.

Few, *a.* -*O*wereng'jeka. *Few people,* Antu owereng'jeka. *Few cattle,* Ng'ombe zowereng'jeka.
Fibre, *n.* Kankwe; mikwe.
Fickle, To be, *v. i.* Ku kala -otembenukatembenuka.
—— *a. Changeable,* -*O*tembenuka.
Fickleness, *n.* Kutembenukatembenuka.
Fidelity, *n.* Mvanu.
Field, *n. Cultivated land,* Munda, minda.
—— *Of chief,* Gala, (la) magala.
—— *Open field or country,* Dambo, (la) madambo.
Fierce, *a. Violently enraged,* -*A*nkarwe; -*a*ukali.
—— *To be fierce, to desire war,* Ku wirima ntima.
Fierceness, *n. Of manner or conduct,* Nkarwe; ukali (wa).
Fifteen, *a.* Kumi ndi -sanu.
Fifth, *a.* -*A*tshisanu.
Fifthly, *adv.* Kasanu.
Fiftieth, *a.* -*A*makumi asanu.
Fifty, *a.* Makumi asanu.
Fig, *n.* Nkhuyu, zinkhuyu.
Fight, *n.* Kumenyana.
—— *Strife,* Ndeu.
—— *v.* Ku panga nkondo.
—— *v. t.* Ku menyana.
Fighting, *n.* Kumenya; mamenyano.
Fig-tree, *n.* Nkuyu, mikuyu.
Figure, *n. A statue or image,* Faniziro, (la) mafaniziro.
—— *In arithmetic,* Lemba, (la) malemba.
—— *Of speech,* Sonyezo, (la) masonyezo.
—— *Shape, form, person,* Makalidwe.
Figurehead, *n. Sign,* Tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.
File, *n. An instrument,* Tupa, (wa) atupa.
—— *A rank of soldiers,* Funde *and* mfunde, mifunde; *also* fundi, mifundi.
—— *Rank,* Nsongwe, misongwe.
Fill, *v. t. As a vessel or bag,* Ku dzazitsa.
—— *To fill up a rent,* Ku kwana, ku kwanira. *To fill a hole in the ground with earth, as a grave,* Ku kwirira.
—— *v. i.* Ku dzaza; ku dzazidwa.
—— *n. To have enough food,* Ku kuta.
Fillip, *v. t.* Ku gwedeza.
Filter, *v. t.* Ku tetekula; ku tsheza.
—— *n.* Tshitshezo, dzitshezo; tshotetekuliro, dzotetekuliro.
Filth, *n.* Matuvi.
—— *Refuse,* Zotaia *and* zotaya.
Filthily, *adv.* Kwamatuvi.
Filthiness, *n.* Kunyansa.
Filthy, *a.* Wamatuvi; -onyansa.
Fin, *n.* Tshipetso, dzipetso; piko, (la) mapiko.
Final, *a.* -*A*kuta. *The final word,* Mau akutungo.
Finally, *adv.* Kwakutungo.
Find, *v. i. To obtain by search,* Ku peza.
—— *To supply, to provide,* Ku kwana; ku kwanira.
—— *To find out, to unriddle,* Ku zindikila.
—— *To find or pick up a lost thing, as a piece of money,* Ku tola.
Fine, *a. Not coarse, as flour,* -*O*pereka. *Fine flour,* Ufa wopereka.
—— *Fine in texture, as cloth,* -*A*veruveru; -oveveruka.
—— *Fine weather, referring to the clearness of the atmosphere,* -*A*ng'amba.
—— *A fine country,* -*A*bwino.
—— *v. t. To refine, to purify, to beautify,* Ku yeretsa.
—— *To decorate, to adorn,* Ku konzetsa.
—— *To impose a fine for an offence,* Ku tapa.
—— *v. i. To be fine, as flour,* Ku pereka.
—— *n. A penalty,* Tapo, (la) matapo.

Finely, *adv.* Kwabwino; kokongola.
Finger, *n.* Tshala, dzala.
Finger-nail, *n.* Tshikabado, dzikabado.
Finish, *v. t.* *To complete,* Ku ta.
—— *To end, to put an end to,* Ku mariza.
—— *To finish off a piece of work so as to give it a polish,* Ku ngazimiritsa.
—— *To end, as a discourse, or a piece of work,* Ku mara. *I have finished my work,* Damara ntshito yanga.
—— *n.* *Perfection,* Kumariza.
Fire, *n.* Moto, mioto.
—— *v. t.* *To kindle a fire,* Ku atsa moto.
—— *To kindle a fire, by rubbing the sharp point of one stick on a softer one,* Ku peka moto.
—— *To cause the fire to burn,* Ku koleza moto.
—— *To add fuel to a fire,* Ku song'keza kuni.
—— *To stir the fire up,* Ku bvundula.
—— *To set on fire,* Ku atsa.
—— *To fire a gun with blank cartridge,* Ku omba mfuti.
—— *To fire a gun at,* Ku ombera mfuti.
—— *v. i.* *To take fire,* Ku aka.
Fire-stick, *n.* *Fire-brand,* Mpeka.
Firewood, *n.* Nkuni, zinkuni; kuni, zinkuni.
—— *A large block of firewood,* Tshigungulu, dzigungulu.
Firm, *a.* *Fixed, steady, as a post in the ground,* -Olimba.
—— *Firm of purpose,* -Olimbitsa.
—— *Strong in will or heart,* -Olimba.
Firmament, *n.* *The region of the air, the space between the earth and the visible heavens,* Mlengalenga.
Firmly, *adv.* Kolimba.
Firmness, *n.* *Stability,* Kulimba; kulimbikitsa.
First, *a.* *In order of time,* -Oamba; poiamba; -atshimodzi.
—— *v. i.* *To begin first,* Ku amba.
—— *To arrive first at a place,* Ku fika patsogolo.
First-born, *n.* -Obadwa -oiamba.
First-fruits, *n.* Dzobala dzampongo; tshampongo, dzampongo; mvuo, abvuo.
Firstly, *a.* Kamodzi.
Fish, *n.* Nsomba, zinsomba.
—— *v. t.* *To fish with a hook,* Ku edza.
Fisherman, *n.* Wogwira nsomba, ogwira nsomba; podzo, apodzo. *In some places this means a hunter of small game.*
Fish-hook, *n.* Mbedza, zimbedza.
Fissure, *n.* Ndala, mindala.
Fist, *n.* Nkonya, zinkonya.
Fit, *v. t.* *To adapt, to suit,* Ku konza.
—— *To fit, of size,* Ku kwanira.
—— *n.* *Sudden seizure,* Kudzidzimutsa.
—— *An epileptic fit,* Tshizumbazumba.
—— *v. i.* *To fall in a fit,* Ku gwa kodzidzimuka.
—— *a.* *Proper, becoming,* -Abwino.
Fitly, *adv.* Kwabwino; kokoma.
Five, *a.* -Sanu. *The prefix changes with that of the noun qualified. Five persons,* Antu asanu. *Five horses,* Akavalo asanu. *Five houses,* Nyumba zisanu.
Fix, *v. t.* *To make fast or firm,* Ku limbitsa.
—— *To fix by ramming, as ramming earth around a post,* Ku tsendera.
—— *To fix stakes by forcing them into the ground with a jerk by the hands,* Ku tshimika.
—— *To fix or appoint a time,* Ku pangana.
—— *To fix by tying,* Ku manga.
Fixed, *a.* -Opangidwa.
—— *Set, appointed,* -Okazika.

Fixture, *n.* Nkalidwa, mikalidwa. *A disease of long standing, chronic,* Nkalidwe, mikalidwe.
Flabby, *a.* *Soft, hanging loose,* -*O*sawa.
—— *v. i.* *To be flabby,* Ku sawa.
Flag, *v. t.* *To hang loosely,* Ku vendama; ku kululuka.
—— *v. i.* *To lose vigour, to become languid,* Ku foka.
—— *n.* Bendera, zibendera.
—— *A water rush,* Nsenjere, zinsenjere.
Flail, *n.* Ntole, zintole. *The woman is threshing the dura with a flail,* Nkazi akulunga mapira ndi ntole.
Flame, *n.* Lilume la moto, malilume a moto. *The fire bursts out into flames,* Moto uturutsa malilume.
—— *v. i.* Ku uka.
Flank, *n.* *Of an animal,* Mtshuuno, dziuno.
—— *The wings or sides of an army,* Tshilomo, dzilomo.
Flap, *n.* *Anything hanging loose, as the flaps of a waggon, sail, etc.,* Tsholendedza, dzolendedza.
—— *v. i.* *To hang loosely,* Ku lendedza.
—— *As a sail unfilled,* Ku kupizika.
Flash, *n.* *Of light,* Kuwalima.
—— *Of lightning,* Mpezi, zimpezi.
—— *v. i.* *To emit a sudden light,* Ku walima.
Flat, *n.* *A plain or flat piece of country,* Dambo, (la) madambo.
—— *Smooth surface,* Kusalala.
—— *A flat thin substance, as of stone or wood,* Kusalala kopyapyala.
—— *A flat dish or platter,* Mbale, zimbale.
—— *a.* -*O*salala.
Flatness, *n.* Kusalala.
Flatten, *v. t.* Ku fafaniza; ku salaza.
—— *To flatten a soft, yielding substance with the hand,* Ku sitamiza.
Flatter, *v. t.* Ku kometsera.
Flatterer, *n.* Wokometsera, okometsera.
Flattery, *n.* Kukometsera.
Flavour, *n.* Nyongo, zinyongo.
—— *v. t.* Ku kometsa.
Flaw, *n.* *A crack,* Tshilama, dzilama; *little,* Kalama.
Flax, *n.* Flakese.
Flay, *v. t.* Ku sadzula; ku senda.
Flea, *n.* Ungui; mpanti, zimpanti; ukuku, maukuku.
Flee, *v. i.* *To flee from a thing,* Ku tawa.
—— *To flee towards a place for protection,* Ku tawira.
Fleece, *n.* *Of wool,* Ubwea, (wa) maubwea.
Fleet, *a.* *Swift of pace,* -*A*liwiro.
Fleetly, *adv.* Kwaliwiro.
Fleetness, *n.* Uliwiro, (la) mauliwiro.
Flesh, *n.* *Of the person, or of an animal,* Nyama, zinyama.
—— *In the sense of mankind,* Antu.
Fleshly, *a.* *Pertaining to the flesh,* Kwanyama.
Flight. *The act of fleeing from danger,* Kutawa.
—— *The act of flying as a bird,* Kuuluka.
—— **of an enemy,** Kutamangitsa.
Flimsy, *a.* *Without strength of substance or structure,* -*A*tshabe.
—— *A flimsy texture, as muslin or gauze,* -*A*veruveru.
—— *adv.* Kwatshabe.
Flinch, *v. i.* Ku dzidzing'ka.
Fling, *v. t.* *To fling at,* Ku ponya.
—— *To throw to the ground,* Ku gwetsa.
—— *To throw away,* Ku taya; ku taia.
Flint, *n.* *Of a gun,* Mwala wa miftu.
Float, *v. i.* Ku beluka.
—— *v. t.* Ku belutsa.
Flock, *n.* *Company or collection, of animals,* Gulu, (la) magulu.
—— *A flock of sheep,* Gulu la ankosa, magulu a ankosa.

Flock, *v. i. To gather in companies,* Ku song'kana.
Flog, *v. t.* Ku menya.
—— *By scourging,* Ku kwapula.
Flood, *n. A freshet in a river,* Tshigumula, zigumula.
Floor, *v. t. To floor a house with earth beaten hard,* Ku panga tala.
—— *n. Of a house,* Tala, (la) matala.
—— *Threshing floor,* Mbua, zimbua.
Flop, *v. i.* Ku butwama; ku suswama.
Flour, *n.* Ufa, (wa) maufa.
Flourish, *v. i. To thrive, as a healthy growing plant,* Ku kondwa.
Flow, *v. i. As a wide stream, or as a rivulet or small stream,* Ku enda.
—— *To flow down in a gentle stream, to trickle down as water in a small hollow,* Ku ka.
—— *To pass,* Ku pita.
—— *Into lake or sea, to embogue,* Ku goma.
Flower, *n.* Lua, (la) malua; dua, (la) madua.
—— *The flower of the maize-stalk,* Nyenje, zinyenje.
—— *v. i. To blossom,* Ku tua malua.
Fluency, *n.* Kulunjikiza.
Fluent, *v. i.* Ku lunjikiza.
—— *A fluent person,* Wolunjikiza, olunjikiza.
Flute, *n. Or fife, wind instrument,* Tshiteta, dziteta; mlumbwi, milumbwi.
Flute-player, *n.* Watshiteta, adziteta; wakuomba milumbwi.
Flutter, *v. i.* Ku ntentemera.
—— *n.* Kuntentemera.
Flux, *n. Of the bowels,* Mimba; kusoma.
—— *Bloody, dysentery,* Tshiziula, dziziula.
Fly, *v. i. As a bird when rising from the water, as a diver,* Ku bvuka. *When flying in the air,* Ku uluka.
—— *To fly justice by absconding,* Ku tawa.
—— *To fly from an enemy, or from danger,* Ku tawa.
—— *n.* Ntshentshe, zintshentshe.
—— *Ephemerides. They come in clouds, and are caught and made into cakes at some parts of the Lake,* Tshifukufuku, zifukufuku.
—— *Gad-fly,* nzaza, mizaza.
—— *Tsetse fly,* Mpetse.
—— *A large species,* Tshimpango.
Foal, *n.* Mwana wa kavalo, ana a kavalo.
Foam, *n.* Pobvu, mapobvu.
—— *v. i.* Ku tamanga ndi pobvu.
Foe, *n. A hostile army,* Maliwongo.
—— *An individual foe,* Liwongo, maliwongo.
Fog, *n.* Nkungu, zinkungu.
Foil, *v. t. To frustrate,* Ku sakaza.
—— *n. Defeat,* Kusakazidwa; kupambanitsidwa.
Fold, *v. t. To fold up, as a cloth,* Ku pinda.
—— *To fold the hem of a garment,* Ku binyira.
—— *To fold a cloak or garment about the person,* Ku pinda.
—— *To fold cattle,* Ku ika m' kola.
—— *n. A pen or inclosure for sheep,* } Kola, (la) makola.
—— *A cattle-fold,* } Kola, (la) makola.
—— *A calf-fold,* } Kola, (la) makola.
Folk, *n. People,* Antu.
Follow, *v. i. To follow after another,* Ku tsata.
—— *To follow in pursuit,* } Ku ronda.
—— *To follow on the scent or trail,* } Ku ronda.
Follower, *n.* Wakutsata, akutsata.
Following, *a.* -Akutsata.
Folly, *n.* Tshitsiru, dzitsiru; kupusa.

Foment, *v. t. To bathe with warm lotions,* Ku funditsa.
Food, *n. For a journey supplies,* Kamba, akamba.
—— *For a lying-in woman or child,* Pala.
—— *In general,* Kudia ; tshakudia, zakudia.
Fool, *n.* Wapusa, apusa ; *or if near at hand the plural is formed by* Mwapusa.
—— *v. i. To act the fool,* Ku pusa.
—— *v. t. To make a person act with folly,* Ku pusitsa.
Foolery, *n.* } Kupusa ; puso,
Foolishness, *n.* } (la) mapuso.
Foot, *n. The human foot,* Pazi, (la) mapazi, *and* mazi.
—— *Of an animal, cloven,* Tshikato, dzikato.
—— *v. i. To go on foot,* Ku enda ndi mapazi.
—— *To tread with the foot,* Ku ponda ; ku pondereza.
Foot-path, *n.* Njira, zinjira ; banda, ambanda.
Foot-soldiers, *n.* Wankhondo, ankhondo.
Footstep, Foot-mark, *n.* Pazi, mapazi ; ponda.
Footstool, *n.* Mpando wa mapazi, mipando ya mapazi.
Fop, *n.* Watshinyamata, atshinyamata.
For, *prep. On account of, for the sake of,* Kwa.
—— *Because of,* Kuti ; tshifuka ; tshifuka kuti ; tshifuka tsha.
Forasmuch, Mwakuti.
For so much, Kwa kutshuruka kumene.
—— *For made by verbal terminations,* ira *and* era.
Forbear, *v. i. To forbear to act,* Ku lekereza.
Forbearance, *n. The exercise of patience or lenity, forbearing to act,* Kulekereza.
Forbearing, *a.* -*O*lekereza.
Forbid, *v. t.* Ku dzudzula ; ku kaniza ; ku letsa.
Forbidden, *p.p. Unlawful,* Kusali -*a*mau.
Force, *n.* Mpamvu, zimpamvu ; kulimbika.
—— *v. t. To compel,* Ku kakamiza.
—— *To constrain,* Ku fulumiza.
Forced, *p.p. Constrained,* -*O*fulumizidwa.
Ford, *n.* Malo akupwa.
—— *v. t. To cause to pass over a river,* Ku yambukitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku yambuka.
Fore-arm, *n.* Nkono, mikono.
Forebode, *v. t.* Ku laula.
Forefather, *n.* Atatu atu amkali.
Foregoing, *a.* -*A*kali; -*a*patsogolo.
Forehead, *n.* Pumi *and* mpumi, zimpumi.
Foreign, *a.* A dziko lino.
Foreleg, *n. Shoulder,* Mwendo wa mwamba, miendo ya mwamba.
Forenoon, *n.* Ntawi dzua lirikukwera.
Fore-ordain, *v. t.* Ku limbitsa kali.
Forerunner, *n.* Wotamanga patsogolo ; otamanga patsogolo.
Foresail, *n.* Tanga lapatsogolo.
Foresight, *n. Of gun,* Tshentshe ya mfuti ; tshentshe za mfuti.
—— *Of thought,* Kuambirira.
Foreskin, *n.* Kungu la boro.
Forest, *n.* Nkalango, zinkalango.
Forestall, *v. t.* Ku tshenjerera.
—— *v. i. To be forestalled,* Ku penakudza.
Forewarn, *v. t.* Ku tshenjeza.
Forfeit, *v. t.* Ku sinta.
Forge, *v. t. To form by the hammer,* Ku sula.
—— *n.* Tshipala, dzipala.
Forget, *v. i.* Ku iwala.
Forgetfulness, *n.* Tshifantima.
Forgive, *v. t.* Ku kululukira ; ku iwala.
Forgiven, *p.p.* -*O*kululukiridwa.
Forgiver, *n.* Wakukululukira, akukululukira.

Fork, *v. i.* *To fork, as a tree in growing,* Ku panga mpanda.
—— *n.* *Of a tree,* Panda, (la) mapanda.
—— *For the table,* Forke, (la) maforke.
Form, *v. t.* *To create,* Ku panga.
—— *To form vessels of clay,* Ku omba; ku ombera.
—— *By casting, as metal,* Ku ulunga.
—— *n.* *Custom, also nature of a thing,* Makalidwe.
—— *A school form,* Mpando, mipando.
—— *Pattern, copy,* Sonyezo, (la) masonyezo.
Formation, *n.* Makalidwe; kupanga.
Former, *a.* *-A*kali *and -a*kale.
Formerly, *adv.* Kali; patsogolo.
Fornicate, *v. t.* *To commit fornication,* Ku tshita dama.
Fornication, *n.* Dama, (la) madama.
Fornicator, *n.* Wadama, adama; wotshita-, otshita dama wakutshita-, akutshita dama.
Fornicatress, *n.* Nkazi wa dama, akazi a dama.
Forsake, *v. t.* Ku sia; ku leka.
Forsaken, *a.* *-O*siidwa; -olekedwa.
Forswear, *v. i.* Ku namiza.
Forth, *adv.* Kunja.
—— *v. i.* *To come forth,* Ku turuka.
Forthwith, *adv.* Tsopano lino.
Fortieth, *a.* *-A*makumi anai. *The fortieth house,* Nyumba yamakumi anai.
Fortify, *v. t.* Ku manga linga.
Fortitude, *n.* *To be brave,* Kupirira.
Fortress, *n.* Nyumba ya nkondo, nyumba za nkondo.
Fortunate, *a.* *-A*nzimu; *-a*mwai.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku li ndi mwai.
Fortune, *n.* *Good,* Mwai.
—— *Bad fortune,* Tsoka.
Forty, *a.* Makumi anai.
Forward, *v. t.* Ku endetsa patsogolo; ku fulumiritsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku enda patsogolo.
—— *adv.* *In front,* Patsogolo.
Foster, *v. t.* *To feed, to nourish,* Ku lera.
Foster-brother, *n.* Mwana woleredwa ndi amai a wina; mpwa*nga* wosunga.
Fostered, *a.* *-O*leredwa.
Foul, *v. t.* *To defile,* Ku detsa; ku ipitsa.
—— *To bedaub,* Ku detsa.
—— *a.* *Defiled, -O*detsedwa; *-o*ipitsidwa.
Foulness, *n.* Litsiro.
Found, *p.p. of Find.* *-O*pezedwa; *-O*toledwa.
—— *v. t.* *To set up,* Ku zika.
Foundation, *n.* Kuzika, maziko.
Founded, *p.p.* *-O*zika.
Founder, *n.* *He who commences or institutes a thing,* Woiamba, oiamba.
—— *A caster of metals,* woulunga, oulunga.
Foundling, *n.* Mwana wotoledwa, ana otoledwa.
Fount, Fountain, *n.* *A fountain of water,* Kasope, (wa) akasope.
Four, *a.* *-N*ai. *The prefix varies with that of the noun qualified. Four men,* Antu anai. *Four houses,* Nyumba zinai. *Four trees,* Mitengo inai.
Fourfold, *a.* *-O*pinda kanai.
Fourteen, *a.* Kumi ndi -nai. *Fourteen persons,* Antu kumi ndi anai.
Fourth, *a.* *-A*tshinai. *The fourth person,* Muntu watshinai. *The fourth house,* Nyumba yatshinai.
Fourthly, *adv.* Kanai.
Fowl, *n.* *The domestic fowl,* Nkuku, zinkuku.
—— *Fowl of the air,* Mbalame, zimbalame.

Fox, *or jackal, n.* Nkhandwe, ankhandwe.
Fraction, *n. A small part of the whole,* Pande, (la) mapande.
Fracture, *v. t.* Ku swa.
—— *v. i.* Ku sweka; ku tshola.
—— *n.* Kutshola; kuswa.
Fragment, *n. A part broken off,* Nyenyeswa, zinyenyeswa.
Frail, *a.* -*O*salimba. *A frail person,* Muntu wosalimba.
Frailty, *n.* Kusalimba.
Frame, *n. The outward form,* Makalidwe.
—— *The frame of a house, or of the roof of a house,* Tshengo, dzengo.
—— *v. t. To plan, to adjust,* Ku panga fanizo.
—— *To frame our conduct aright,* Ku kala ndi makalidwe abwino.
—— *To frame together, as a house or door,* Ku lumikiza.
Fraud, *n.* Tshinyengo, dzinyengo.
—— *To obtain by fraud,* Ku landira ndi tshinyengo.
Fraudulently, *adv.* Kwatshinyengo.
Fray, *n. A combat, a battle,* Kumenyana.
—— *A broil, a quarrel,* Ndeu, zindeu.
Free, *v. t. To set at liberty,* Ku masula; ku panga -*a*ufulu; ku patsa ufulu; ku yesa -*a*ufulu.
—— *a. Without restraint, free,* -omasulidwa; -*a*ufulu; -omasuka, -omasula.
—— *Opposed to slave,* -*A*ufulu.
—— *Generous, liberal, as in giving,* -*O*lere.
Freed, *p.p.* -*O*masuka.
Freedom, *n.* Ufulu.
Freely, *adv. Without restraint or compulsion, liberally, plentifully, gratis,* Kolere.
Freeman, *n.* Waufulu, aufulu; mfulu, zimfulu.
Freewill, *n.* Kufuna kwaufulu.
Freewoman, *n.* Mfulu yeikazi, mfulu zazikazi.
Freeze, *v.* Ku limbitsa ndi tshisanu.
Freight, *n.* Katundu, akatundu.
Frenzy, *n.* Msala, misala.
Frequent, / **Frequently,** } *a.* Kawiri kawiri.
Fresh, *a. Strong,* -*O*limba.
—— *Brisk,* -*A*tshangu.
—— *New,* -*A*tsopano. *Fresh goods,* Maronda atsopano.
—— *Fresh in appearance,* -*A*nkong'gono.
Freshness, *n.* Kwatsopano; kulimba.
Fret, *v. i. To be vexed, chafed, or irritated,* Ku kwia.
Friction, *n.* Nsita, zinsita.
Friend, *n. Relation,* mbali, ambali.
—— *By agreement,* Bwenzi, (la) mabwenzi.
Friendship, *n.* Tshibali *and* ubali; tshibwenzi *and* ubwenzi.
Fright, *n.* Kuopa; manta.
—— / **Frighten,** } *v. t.* Ku opsa.
Fringe, *n. Of a garment,* Mphonje, zimphonje.
Frisk, *v. i. To leap and jump, as the young of animals,* Ku sewera; ku lumpa.
—— *n.* Kusewera, (kwao) masewero.
Fritter, *v. t. To cut meat into small pieces to be fried,* Ku nyenya.
Frivolous, *a. A frivolous, volatile person,* Wotsiruka, otsiruka.
Frizz, *v. t. To curl the hair.* Ku pota tsisi.
—— *To raise a nap on cloth or leather,* Ku nyalula.
Frock, *n.* Maraia.
Frog, *n.* Tshule, atshule.
Frolic, *n.* Tshipwete.
From, *prep.* Kwa. *To come from,* Ku dzera. *To come from one's native country, originally,* Ku fuma.
—— *To hinder from doing a thing,* Ku tshedwetsa; ku letsa. *He*

kept me from coming, Anatshedwetsa ine kwa kudza.

From, *prep.* *From a certain time*, Kwa. *From my birth*, Kwa ntawi dinabadwa.

—— *To run from*, Ku tawa; ku tawira. *Flee from evil*, Tawira mpulupulu.

—— *To go from*, Ku muka.

—— *To take (a part) from*, Ku tshotsa.

The objective form of the verb in era *or* ira *is often used to express 'from.'*

Frond, *n.* *Of a palm or fern*, Kwata, (la) makwata.

Front, *n.* Nkope, zinkope; kutsogolo.

Frost, *n.* Tshiule, dziule.

Froth, *n.* Pobvu, (la) mapobvu.

—— *v. i.* Ku kala ndi pobvu; ku tshita pobvu.

Froward, *a.* -*A*nkarwe.

Frown, *v. i.* *With anger*, Ku kwia.

—— *To frown upon a person*, Ku tsinya.

—— *n.* Tsinya, (la) matsinya.

Fructify, *v. t.* Ku balitsa.

Fruit, *n.* *The produce of a tree, plant, or root*, Tshobala, dzobala.

Fruitful, *a.* -*O*balitsa.

Fruitfulness, *n.* Kubalitsa.

Frustrate, *v. t.* Ku letsa; ku kaniza.

Fry, *v. t.* Ku kazinga.

—— *n.* *As meat in a frying-pan*, Nyama yokazinga.

Fulfil, *v. t.* *Of words or prophecy, to accomplish*, Ku dzaza.

—— *Of time*, Ku kwana; ku kwanira.

—— *v. i.* *To be fulfilled*, Ku dzazidwa.

Full, *v. i.* Ku dzazidwa.

—— *Have enough food*, Ku kuta. *I am full*, dakuta.

—— *a.* -*O*dzaza; -*o*dzazidwa. *The vessel is full*, Tshiwira tshidzazidwa.

Full-grown, *a.* -*A*ng'kuru.

Full moon, *a.* Mwezi woukuru.

Full stature, *a.* Nsing'ku woukuru.

Fulness, *n.* Kudzaza.

Fun, *n.* Tshipwete; kusewera.

Fungus, *n.* Boa, (wa) maboa.

Funis placentæ, *n.* Tshingwe; kakolekole.

Fur, *n.* Ubwea.

Furious, *a.* -*A*nkarwe; -*a*ukali.

Nkarwe *supposes a man's heart tells him his action is wrong;* Ukali, *fierceness of a wild beast without reason, and a man when he loses his head in anger.* *'To be furious with anger,'* Ku li ndi nkarwe; ku li ndi ukali.

—— *v.* Ku karipa.

Furiously, *adv.* Kwankarwe; kwaukali.

Furnace, *n.* *For smelting metals*, ng'anjo, zing'anjo.

Furnish, *v.* Ku kwanitsa.

Furnished, *a.* *Tsha* zintu.

Furrow, *n.* *Water furrow*, ntshera, mitshera.

Further, *prep.* Patsogolo. *Further and further*, Patsogolo ndi patsogolo.

—— *Beyond*, Kopambana.

—— *To go further*, Ku pitirira.

Fury, *n.* Misala; ndeu; kukwia; kukaripa.

Fuse, Ku sung'unuka.

Future, *n.* Ntawi ina.

—— *a.* -*A*ntawi ina.

Fy, *interj.* *Expressing disapproval and blame*, Tsa! Mai! Mai!

G

G has in Chinyanja the hard sound of *g* in *gate*, never that of *g* in *gin*.

Gabble, *v. i.* Ku longolola.

Gad, *v. i.* *To gad about*, Ku enda kwautserekwete.

Gadding, *n.* Utserekwete.

Gaddingly, *adv.* Kwautserekwete.

Gad-fly, *n.* Nzaza, mizaza.

Gaiety, *n.* Kuseka.

Gaily, *adv.* Koseka.
Gain, *v. t.* *To obtain by industry,* Ku peza.
——*To acquire,* Ku pindula.
——*To attain,* Ku fika.
——*n.* *Something obtained,* Kantu kolandiridwa.
——*That which is acquired or laid up,* Kupindula.
Gainsay, *v. t.* Ku tsutsa; ku kana; ku nena iai.
Gainsayer, *n.* Wakana, akana.
Gainsaying, *n.* Nseke, miseke.
Gait, *n.* Nkalidwe, mikalidwe.
Gall, *n.* Ndulu, dzindulu.
——*v. i.* *To break the skin by rubbing,* Ku tsupuka.
——*Mentally,* Ku kalipitsa.
Gall-bladder, *n.* Nyongo, zinyongo.
Gallop, *v. i.* Ku tamanga nkweza.
——*v. t.* *To gallop a horse in riding,* Ku tamangitsa nkweza.
Gambol, *v. i.* *As a lamb, or a foal,* Ku sewera.
——*To frolic, to play,* Ku sewera.
——*n.* Kusewera, masewero.
Game, *n.* *A sport of any kind,* Sewera, (la) masewera; sowera, masowera.
——*Animals taken in hunting which are edible,* nyama, zinyama.
——*v. i.* *To play at any sport or diversion,* Ku sowera *and* sewera.
——*To sport,* Ku saka nyama.
Gander, *n.* *Of the wild goose,* Tsekwe wamamuna.
Gangrene, *n.* Kutukumira.
Gaol, *n.* Nyumba ya ndima.
Gaoler, *n.* Woyang'anira nyumba ya ndima.
Gap, *n.* *As in a hedge,* Komo, (la) makomo.
Gape, *v. i.* *To yawn, as from drowsiness,* Ku asamula.
——*To open the mouth and stare,* Ku zizwa.
Garden, *n.* *General term,* Munda, minda. *A mealie or maize garden,* Munda wa tshimanga.
Gardener, *n.* Wotshita m' munda, otshita m' munda.
Garden-hut, *n.* *Erected for the season to afford shelter while watching the garden,* Nsanja, zinsanja.
Garland, *n.* Tshingwe tsha malua, zingwe za malua.
Garment, *n.* Mwinjiro, miinjiro, *and* minjiro.
——*A small garment,* Maraia ang'ono.
Garner, *n.* Nkokwe, zinkokwe.
Garnish, *v. t.* *To ornament,* Ku konza.
——*To clothe,* Ku bveka.
——*v. i.* Ku bvala.
Garrison, *n.* Amulinga.
Garrulous, *v. t.* Ku lankuladala.
——*a.* -Olankuladala.
Gash, *v. t.* Ku tsheka; ku tema; ku ng'amba.
——*n.* Nlaso, milaso.
Gasp, *v. i.* *To breathe with open mouth, as one short of breath,* Ku tshita puma.
Gate, *n.* Tshitseko, dzitseko; tshipata, dzipata.
Gate-bar, *n.* Mpikizo, mipikizo.
Gateway, *n.* Komo, (la) makomo.
——*A small gateway,* Tshiterera, dziterera.
Gather, *v. t.* *To gather a number of separate things into one place,* Ku song'keza *and* -ketsa.
——*Gather the loads together,* Song'ketsa akatundu.
——*To gather together an assembly of people, v. i.* Ku song'ka; *v. t.* Ku song'ketsa.
——*Gather the people,* Song'ketsa antu.
——*To gather up, so as to bring either persons or things which are scattered into one place, as to gather into close order or compact the different divisions of an army, or to gather up tools at the close of the day, so as to leave off work,* Ku dandalitsa.

Gather, *v. t.* *To gather and brush up, and remove, as crumbs from a cloth, or things littered in a room,* Ku ola.
—— *To gather or lay by wealth,* Ku song'kera.
—— *To draw together from a state of expansion, as a bag or bladder,* Ku tumuka.
—— *As india-rubber,* Ku tamuka.
—— *To gather together in a heap, to accumulate,* Ku unjika.
—— *Fruit, as opposed to cereals,* Ku tsha.
—— *Fruit for another person,* Ku tshera.
—— *Grain,* Ku kung'ka.
—— *To pick up, to weed,* Ku sankula.
—— *By stripping off,* Ku pulula.
—— *To strip off, as maize off a cob,* Ku tongola.
—— *To gather, as gathers in a garment,* Ku kwinya.
—— *v. i.* *As persons meeting together,* Ku song'kana.
—— *To gather, as the heavens before a storm,* Ku gudumiza.
—— *To gather, as an inflamed swelling or tumour,* Ku tupa.
Gathering, *n.* *Of people,* Ku-song'kana.
—— *Of cattle,* Gulu, (la) magulu.
—— *Of articles,* Kuunjikana.
—— *A heap of things,* mulu, miulu.
Gathers, *n.* *Plaits or folds of a garment,* Tshokwinya, dzokwinya.
Gauky, *a.* -*O*pulukira.
Gay, *a.* -*O*seka.
Gaze, *v. i.* Ku yang'ana.
Gazing-stock, *n.* -*O*sinjiriridwa; tshoyang'anira, dzoyang'anira.
Gear, *n.* Zintu.
—— *Of a ship,* Zintu za tshombo.
Geese (wild), *n.* Atsekwe.
Geld, *v. t.* Ku fula.
Gelding, *n.* Mfule, mifule.
Gender, *v. t.* *To beget,* Ku balitsa.
Genealogy, *n.* Fuko, (la) mafuko.
Generate, *v. t.* Ku balitsa.
Generation, *n.* Fuko, (la) mafuko.
Generous, *a.* -*A*ulere. *A generous person,* Muntu waulere.
Genitals, *n.* Mpeto, zimpeto.
——Male genitals:—*penis,* boro; *testes,* sangala, masangala; todzo, (la) matodzo.
—— *Seminal fluid, general term,* umuna; *of man alone,* nsala, misala; ukoto; *in Tshimaravi,* mkawa.
—— Female genitals:—*vagina,* nyini; *meatus urinarius,* kongo; *clitoris,* tshikodzodzo; *uterus,* tshibaliro, dzibaliro.
Genius, *n.* *A clever person who often does foolish things,* -*A*tshangu ku punzira.
Gentiles, *n.* *Lit.* *Nations,* Mitundu.
Gentle, *a.* -*A*ulere; -odondoloza.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku li -*a*ulere.
Gentleman, *n.* Mamuna, amuna; mwanana, anana.
Gentlemanly, *adv.* Koeneza.
Gentleness, *n.* Ulere; ubwino.
Gently, *adv.* Kwaulere.
—— *Of speed or movement,* Pang'ono pang'ono; mbole mbole.
Genuinely, *adv.* *Truly,* Koona.
Genus, *n.* *Kind, species,* Mko, miko.
Germ, *n.* *Of a plant,* Tshimera, dzimera. *Chiefly used as malt.*
Germinate, *v. i.* *To bud,* Ku mera.
Get, *v. t.* *To procure, to have,* Ku potshera.
—— *To receive,* Ku landira.
—— *To get gain,* Ku pindula.
—— *To get in, to bring under shelter,* Ku fika.
—— *To get out, to draw forth,* Ku turutsa.
—— *To get together,* Ku song'kanitsa; ku unjika.
—— *To get wealth,* Ku unjika.
—— *v. i.* *To get away,* Ku muka; ku tshoka.
—— *To get away from, as from the grasp of another,* Ku tawa; ku pulumuka.

Get, *v. i.* *To get in, as into a house,* Ku loa.
—— *To get free, as from confinement,* Ku masuka.
—— *To get before, to arrive first,* Ku pitirira; ku fika patsogolo.
—— *To get off, to escape,* Ku pulumuka; ku tawa.
—— *To get up, to arise,* Ku uka.
—— *To get at, to reach,* Ku fika.
—— *To get to a place, to arrive at,* Ku fika.
—— *To get out of the way,* Ku tshoka.
—— *To get ready, as for a journey,* Ku ta.
Ghost, *n.* *The spirit of the departed,* Nzimu, mizimu; nzukwa, mizukwa.
—— *To give up the ghost,* Ku tsirizika.
Giant, *n.* Muntu wang'kuru; tshimuntu.
Giddiness, *n.* Tshizunguliro.
—— *Faintness, epilepsy,* Mzumbazumba.
Giddy, *a.* -*A*tshizunguliro.
Gift, *n.* *A present,* Mtulo, mitulo; tsholere, zolere.
—— *A gratuity, that which is bestowed of mere favour,* Tshaulere, zaulere.
—— *A gift of friendship,* Tshaubwenzi, dzaubwenzi.
Giggle, *v. i.* *To laugh in a silly manner,* Ku sekadala.
Giggler, *n.* Wosekadala, osekadala.
Gild, *v. t.* Ku myatika golide.
Gilded, *a.* -*O*myatikidwa golide.
Gill, *n.* *Of a fish,* Lakwi, (la) malakwi.
Gimblet, *n.* Tshobolera, dzobolera.
Gin, *n.* *A trap,* Kwekwe, (la) makwekwe.
Ginger, *n.* Tshikasu, dzikasu.
Gingle, *v. i.* Ku liza mangenji. Liza *is contracted from* liriza.
—— *n.* Lingenji, mangenji.
Gird, *v. t.* *To bind, as with a cord,* Ku manga; Ku mangitsa.
—— *To gird the person with a girdle,* ku mangitsa.
Girdle, *n.* Mpango, mipango.
—— *Of leather,* Lamba la tshikopa, malamba.
Girl, *n.* Butu, (la) mautu.
Girlhood, *n.* Ubutu; unamwali. Unamwali *refers also to the first menstruation and puberty.*
Girlishly, *adv.* Kwabutu; kwaubutu.
Give, *v. t.* *To bestow, to confer,* Ku patsa; ku ning'ka.
—— *To give over to another,* Ku pereka.
—— *To give a present,* Ku patsa, *or* ku ning'ka tshaulere.
—— *To give up in despair,* Ku leka.
—— *To give or hand a thing to another,* Ku pereka.
—— *To give back,* Ku bweza.
—— *To give in or yield,* Ku gwira miendo ya.
—— *To give ear to,* Ku mva; Ku mvera.
—— *To give up a thing demanded,* Ku bweza.
—— *To give place,* Ku pisa malo; ku patsa malo.
—— *To give way to, to yield,* Ku denguma.
—— *To give judgment,* Ku lamula.
—— *To give breakfast,* Ku susutsa.
Giver, *n.* Wopatsa, opatsa.
Gizzard, *n.* Tshidokomiro, dzidokomiro.
Glad, *a.* -*O*sekera.
Gladden, *v. t.* Ku sekeretsa; ku seketsa.
Gladly, *adv.* Koseka; kosekera.
Gladness. *n.* Kusekera; kukondwera.
Glance, *v. i.* *To look with a sudden side-cast of the eye,* Ku pekula.
—— *To obtain a momentary view of a thing,* Ku ona kwamangweruza.
—— *n.* Mangweruza.
Glare, } *n.* Mbaliwali, zimbali
Gleam, } wali.

Glare, *v. i.* Ku wala.
Glass, *n.* Glase.
—— *Looking-glass,* Karirole, akarirole.
Glassy, *a. Smooth, calm, -A*bata.
Glean, *v. t.* Ku kokotsa.
Gleaner, *n.* Wokokotsa, okokotsa.
Glee, *n. Joy, merriment,* Tshimwemwe.
Glen, *n.* Mkwawa, (la) makwawa.
Glide, *v. i.* Ku pita.
—— *To slip along, as on a smooth surface, as on slippery ground,* Ku terera.
—— *Of water,* Kuenda.
—— *As a stone down a hillside,* Ku tserereka.
Glitter, *v. i.* Ku ng'azimira.
Glittering, *a. -O*ng'azimira.
Gloat, *v. i. To look steadily at,* Ku zunza.
Gloom, *n.* Ndima.
Gloomily, *adv.* Kogwa, *or* kogwetsa nkope.
Gloominess, *n. Of countenance,* Kugwa kwa nkope.
—— *Of weather,* Utungulu.
Glorify, *v. t. To praise, as in worship,* Ku pambanitsa; ku tama.
—— *To invest with honours, to make glorious, to exalt,* Ku pambanitsa.
Glory, *n. Outward splendour,* Kupambana.
—— *Honours, exaltation,* Ulemu, (wa) maulemu.
—— *v. i. To exult with joy,* Ku pambana; ku tama.
Gloss, *v. t. To make smooth and shining,* Ku ng'azimitsa.
—— *n.* Kung'azimira.
Glossy, *a. Shining, -O*yala; -owala.
Glottis, *n. Pomum adami,* Tshidokomiro, dzidokomiro; mero, mimero.
Glove, *n.* Tumba la dzanja, matumba a manja.
Glue, *n.* Glu.
—— *v. t.* Ku paka; ku pakatiza.
Glut, *v. i.* Ku susukitsa.
Glutton, *n.* Tshinkafi; tshibombo; wosusuka.
Gluttonous, *a. -O*susuka.
Gnash, *v. i. To gnash the teeth,* Ku kukuta *mano.*
Gnat, *n. The mosquito species,* Udzudzu, (wa) maudzudzu.
—— *The kungu fly,* Tshifukufuku, zifukufuku.
Gnaw, *v. t.* Ku bebeda.
—— *As a dog at a bone,* Ku tafuna.
—— *As a rat a piece of wood,* Ku tsherera; ku nyinda.
Gnu, *n. A species of antelope,* Nyumbu, zinyumbu.
Go, *v. i.* Ku ng'ka; ku enda.
—— *To go away,* Ku tshoka; ku muka.
—— *To go wrong,* Ku sotshera.
—— *To go home,* Ku bwera kwatshi.
—— *To go aside,* Ku lambalala.
—— *To go back, to return,* Ku bwera.
—— *To go forward,* Ku enda patsogolo; ku andika.
—— *To go one after another, to follow in line,* Ku tsogozana.
—— *To go or pass by,* Ku pita.
—— *To go down,* Ku tsika.
—— *To go out of sight, to disappear, as a steamer in the distance,* Ku ziririka.
—— *To go in,* Ku loa.
—— *To go out,* Ku turuka.
—— *To go near, to approach,* Ku yandika.
—— *To go off, as a gun, by accident,* Ku pulumuka.
—— *To go about,* Ku endaenda.
—— *To go backwards,* Ku bwera; ku bwerera.
—— *Quickly, without delaying,* Ku mangupa.
—— *To law,* Ku enda ndi mrandu.
—— *Aboard,* Ku loa.
—— *Abroad,* Ku enda ku dziko lina.
—— *To go through a country,* Ku pisa; ku pititsa.

Go, *v. i. To go over or cross a river,* Ku yambuka.
—— *To go up an incline or ascent,* Ku kwera.
—— *To go up or ascend the banks of a river,* Ku kwera.
—— *To go round, as round a corner,* Ku zungulira.
—— *To go before, to lead,* Ku tsogolera.
—— *To go after, to follow,* Ku tsata.
—— *To go on the track, as hounds,* Ku ronda.
—— *To go forth,* Ku turuka.
Goad, *n. An ox-goad,* Tshofulumizira, dzofulumizira.
Goal, *n.* Tshigwiro, zigwiro.
Goat, *n. Gen. term,* Mbuzi, zimbuzi; gogo, agogo.
Goatskin, *n.* Tshikopa tsha mbuzi.
Gobble, *v. i.* Ku meza.
God, *n. The Supreme Being,* Mulungu *and* Mlungu.
—— *The Deity,* Yehova.
—— *A false god, a heathen deity,* Mlungu milungu.
—— *The Creator,* Tshanjiri.
—— *The All-powerful, Omnipotent,* Mpambi.
Godfather, *n.* Dzinawanga.
Godhead, *n.* Umulungu.
Godliness, *n.* Kupembedza.
Godly, *adv. Piously, righteously,* Kopembedza.
—— *a.* -*O*pembedza.
Gold, *n.* Golide.
Good, *a. In quality,* -*A*bwino; -okoma. *The prefix varies with that of the noun qualified. A good man,* Muntu wabwino. *A good woman,* Nkazi wabwino. *The girl is good,* Butu liri labwino. *The water is good,* Madzi ali abwino. *A good horse,* Kavalo wabwino. *A good house,* Nyumba yabwino.
—— *Fit, proper,* -*A*bwino.
Goodness, *n.* Ubwino, (wa).
—— *Something necessary or desirable,* Uko.
Goods, *n. Tshintu,* zintu; tshuma.
Goose, *Wild,* Tsekwe, (wa) matsekwe.
Gooseberry, *n. Cape gooseberry,* Gusbere.
Gore, *v. t. To stab,* Ku lasa.
—— *As an ox with its horns,* Ku gunda.
—— *n. Clotted blood,* Mwazi wantindirima; tshilope, dzilope; mulopa, milopa.
Gorge, *v. i. To glut in eating,* Ku susukitsa.
—— *v. t. To feed to satiety,* Ku kutitsa.
—— *n. The gullet,* Mero, mimero.
—— *A narrow pass between hills,* Mpata, mipata.
Gormandize, *v. i.* Ku kutitsa.
Gormandizer, *n.* Wokutitsa, okutitsa.
Gospel, *n.* Ivangeli, (wa) maivangeli.
Gossip, *v. i.* Ku longolola.
—— *n.* Kulongolola.
Gourd, *n.* Mphonda, zimphonda.
Govern, *v. t. To govern, as a chief or king,* Ku weruza.
—— *As an army,* Ku uza.
—— *To overlook, to superintend,* Ku yang'anira.
Government, *n. Rule,* Kuweruza; maweruzo.
Governor, *n.* Woweruza, oweruza; mbiri, ambiri.
Gown, *n.* Mwinjiro, miinjiro.
Grace, *n. Favour,* Kufatsa.
—— *Goodwill, kindness, benefit,* Kwanja.
Graceful, *a. In carriage, in deportment,* -*O*lungama.
Gracefully, *adv.* Kolungama.
Gracious, *a.* -*O*fatsa.
Graciously, *adv.* Kofatsa.
Graft, *v. t.* Ku komaniza.
Grain, *n.* Tshintu, dzintu.
—— *Of corn,* Mpetshe, zimpetshe.
Grandchild, *n.* Mwana wa mwana; ndzukuru, adzukuru.

Grandfather, *n.* Mbuye, ambuye; mbuie, ambuie. *My grandfather,* Mbuyanga.
Grandmother, *n.* Amai. *His grandmother,* Amai atshi akuru.
Grant, *v. i.* *To admit as true,* Ku lola. *Yes, I grant that,* Inde, dilola tshimene.
—— *To give or bestow in answer to a request,* Ku patsa; ku bvomereza.
Grape, *n.* *Cultivated,* Grepe, (la) magrepe.
Grape-vine, *n.* Mvina.
Grapple, *v. t.* *To lay fast hold on,* Ku gwira; ku fumbata.
—— *To seize, to contend in close fight,* Ku gwirizana.
—— *To grapple with, to contend with successfully,* Ku pambana.
Grasp, *v.* Ku gwira.
—— *To rob,* Ku landa.
—— *To seize hold of firmly,* Ku fumbata.
Grass, *n.* *Generic term,* Udzu, (wa) maudzu.
—— *Pasturage grass,* Busa, (la) mabusa.
—— *Long grass in seed,* Udzu wobala, maudzu obala.
Grasshoppers, *n.* Tshiwala, dziwala.
—— *Locust,* Dzombe, (la) madzombe.
Grateful, *a.* -*O*amika; -osimba.
—— *v. i.* *To feel grateful,* Ku amika.
Gratefully, *adv.* Koamika.
Gratify, *v. t.* *To appease, as the passions,* Ku sungula.
Gratitude, *n.* Kuamika.
Gratuitous, *a.* -*A*ulere; -*a*tshabe.
Gratuitously, *adv.* Kwatshabe.
Gratuity, *n.* Tshaulere, dzaulere.
Gratulation, *n.* *Self-gratulation,* Kudzisekera.
Grave, *a.* -*A*pe.
—— *v. i.* *To be grave,* Ku li -*a*pe.
—— *v. t.* *To carve in wood,* Ku tsheka; ku sema.
—— *On metal,* Ku lemba.
Grave, *n.* Mwanda, mianda. *We buried him in the grave,* Tinaika ie m' mwanda.
Gravel, *n.* Ntshenga, mitshenga.
Gravelly, *adv.* Kwape.
Gravity, *n.* Upe.
Gravy, *n.* Suzi, misuzi.
Gray, *a.* *Gray hairs,* Imvi, zimvi.
Grease, *v. t.* Ku ika mafuta; ku tsira mafuta.
—— *n.* *Animal fat,* Mafuta.
Great, *a.* *In bulk or in relative rank,* -*Ang'*kuru.
—— *A great king,* Fumu yotshuka yeikuru.
—— *A great basket,* Ntanga woukuru.
—— *In number,* -*A*mbiri.
—— *A great while ago,* Kalikali.
—— *The great place or residence of the chief of a tribe or nation,* Mzinda wa fumu.
—— *A great distance,* Kutali.
Greatly, *adv.* Kwambiri.
Greatness, *n.* Ukuru.
Greed, / **Greediness,** } *n.* Kuumira.
Greedily, *adv.* Koumira.
Greedy, *a.* -*O*umira; -ouma manja. *Very greedy,* -*O*uma ntima. *He is a greedy man,* Ku umira.
Green, *a.* -*O*yezuka; *o*fana ndi masamba.
——**grass.** Busa, (la) mabusa.
—— *Iridescent,* -*O*biriwiri, *and* -*o*biriwira.
—— *Not ripe,* -*O*wisi.
Greet, *v. t.* Ku utsa; ku ankula *and* yankula.
Greeting, *n.* *Salutation,* Utso, mautso.
Grey. (See **Gray.**)
Grief, *n.* *In general,* Nsoni, zisoni.
—— *Grief of mind, heaviness of spirits,* Nsoni ya ntima.
—— *Grief and fear of punishment,* Nkawa.
Grievance, *n.* Kunyanyara.

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Grieve, *v. i.* Ku mva tshisoni; ku kala ndi tshisoni.
—— *v. t.* Ku patsa tshisoni; ku mvetsa tshisoni.
Grievous, *a.* -*O*lemera; -*o*sautsa; -*o*sautswa.
—— *Hard to bear, painful,* -*O*pwetekwa.
Grievously, *adv.* Kopwetekwa.
Grin, *v. i.* Ku tonza.
—— *n.* Kutonza.
Grind, *v. t.* *To reduce to powder by friction, as in a mill,* Ku pera; ku nyenga.
—— *To grind very fine, to pulverize,* Ku peretsa.
—— *To grind or sharpen, as a knife or edged tool,* Ku nola.
—— *To grind the teeth,* Ku kukuta.
Grindstone, *n.* Mwala wakunora.
Gripe, *v. t.* *To give pains in the bowels,* Ku gwira.
—— *To seize, to grasp,* Ku gwira.
—— *v. i.* *To feel the colic,* Ku pikanyika; mimba ipikanyika.
Gripes, *n.* *Colic,* Tshirombo.
Gristle, *n.* Tsempa, mitsempa.
Grit, *n.* Dote, (la) madote; ntshenga, mitshenga.
Gritty, *a.* *To be gritty,* -*A*ntshenga.
Groan, *v. i.* Ku bula.
—— *Mentally,* Ku bulira.
—— *n.* Kubula.
Groin, *n.* Ntshafu, zintshafu; *also means thigh.*
Grope, *v. i.* Ku ambasa.
—— *To feel after,* Ku fufunyira.
Gross, *a.* *Coarse,* -*O*limba.
—— *Heavy,* -*O*lemedwa.
—— *Rough (of flour),* -*O*ng'adza.
Grossness, *n.* *Coarseness of grinding,* Kung'adza.
Ground, *n.* *The surface of land,* Ntaka, zintaka.
—— *v.* *To found,* Ku zika (*in truth*); *p.p.* -*o*zika.
Groundnut, *n.* Ntedza, mitedza.
Grove, *n.* Tunduluzi, (la) matunduluzi.
Grow, *v. i.* *As a plant or tree,* Ku mera.
—— *To grow rapidly,* Ku kula.
—— *To grow in stature,* Ku kula.
—— *To grow unto, as a graft on a tree,* Ku komaniza.
—— *To grow luxuriantly,* Ku kula bwino *or* kwambiri.
Growl, *v. i.* *As a lion,* Ku buma.
—— *As a dog,* Ku ua.
Grown, *a.* *In bulk or stature,* -*O*kulitswa. *The child has grown,* Mwana wakula.
—— *As a plant or tree,* -*O*kula; -ang'kuru.
Growth, *n.* *Of a child, or of anything young,* Kukula.
—— *Of a tree or plant,* Kumera.
—— *Stature,* Nsing'ku.
Grub, *n.* *As found in fruit or sweet cane,* Mbozi, zimbozi.
—— *A caterpillar, gen. term,* Mbozi, zimbozi.
—— *v. t.* *To dig,* Ku kumba.
—— *To grub up by digging,* Ku pukula.
Grudge, *v. t.* *To be discontented at another's happiness,* Ku mana.
—— *To give unwillingly,* Ku patsa ndi ntima umodzi, *in contrast with* ku patsa ndi ntima wonse, *i.e. wholeheartedly.*
—— *n.* *Ill will,* Kukwia.
Grudgingly, *adv.* Kouma ntima; koumira.
Gruel, *n.* Pala, (la) mapala.
Grumble, *v. i.* Ku ndandaula.
—— *n.* Kundandaula.
Grumbler, *n.* Wondandaula.
Grunt, *v. i.* Ku lira.
—— *To groan,* Ku bulira.
—— *n.* Kubula, mabulo.
Guard, *v. t.* *To keep watch over,* Ku dikira; ku yang'ana; ku sunga.
—— *To keep guard over us by night,* Ku dikira ife usiku.
—— *To protect, to care for,* Ku yang'anira; ku sungira.
—— *n.* *A single guard,* Wodikira, odikira; wakudikira, akudikira.

Guard, *n.* *A guard of several persons, as a guard of soldiers,* Odikira; gulu la ankhondo.
—— *A protection,* Kudikira.
Guardian, *n.* Wodikira, odikira.
Guess, *v. i.* *To conjecture,* Ku ganiza.
—— *To judge a thing probable, but uncertain; to doubt as to results,* Ku kaikiza.
—— *To guess by choosing, as guessing which hand of a person contains a piece of money,* Ku sang'ka. (*This game is called* tshutshu).
—— *To reason on and draw an inference,* Ku gazitsana.
Guest, *n.* Woonera, oonera.
—— **chamber.** Tshipinda tsha waulendo, dzipinda dza aulendo.
Guide, *v.t.* *To direct a person on his way,* Ku sonya; ku sonyeza.
—— *To guide by accompanying a person on a journey,* Ku tsogolera njira.
—— *To guide by counsel,* Ku weruza.
—— *n.* Wotsogolera, otsogolera. *The Lord is my guide,* Mwini ali wotsogolera wanga.
—— *Leader,* Mtsatsogolo, atsatsogolo.
Guile, *n.* *Craft,* Tshinyengo, dzinyengo; kusenyenga.
—— *Deceit,* Kunama.
Guileless, *a.* -*O*panda tshinyengo; -osanyenga.
Guilt, *n.* Kutshimwa.
Guiltless, *a.* -*O*panda tshimo; -*O*satshimwa.
Guilty, *a.* -*O*tshimwa. *He is guilty,* Ali wotshimwa.
—— *v. i.* Ku kala wotshimwa.
Guinea-fowl, *n.* Nkanga, zinkanga.
Gulf, *n.* *An abyss, or deep pit,* Phompo, (la) maphompo.
—— *A ravine or kloof running between two mountains,* Mpata, mipata.
—— *Of the sea,* Bondo, maondo.
Gull, *v. t.* *To bamboozle,* Ku nyenga.
—— *n.* *Bird,* Kulea, akulea.
Gullet, *n.* Mero, mimero.
Gulp, *v. t.* *To swallow a substance without masticating it,* Ku meza.
Gum, *n.* *Of commerce, obtained from the mimosa tree while moist, or as sap,* Matutsi.
—— *Dried,* Tshitoni, zitoni.
—— *Of the mouth,* Ntsheni, zintsheni.
—— *Gum which exudes from the eyes,* Mantongo.
Gun, *n.* Mfuti, zimfuti.
Gunpowder, *n.* Wonga, maonga.
Gush, *v. i.* *As water,* Ku kwenkwe nuka.
Gut, *n.* Tumbo, (la) matumbo.
—— *v.* Ku tumbula.

H

H has in Chinyanja the sound of *h* in *hand.* *Th,* as in English, is not found in Chinyanja, *t* being sounded by itself or in combination with a preceding consonant, while *h* acts as an aspirate to the vowel by which it is followed.
Ha! *interj.* Ha!
Habit, *n.* *Custom,* Nda, mida.
Habitation, *n.* *Home,* Malo; nyumba, zinyumba; *kw*atshi.
Habitually, *adv.* Kwamakalidwe.
Habituate, *v. t.* Ku zoloweretsa.
Habituated, *p.p.* *To be habituated to,* Ku zolowera.
Hack, *v. t.* Ku tema.
Haft, *n.* *A handle,* Mpini, mipini.
Hail, *v. i.* Ku vumba matalala.
—— *v. t.* *To call to a person at a distance,* Ku itana.
—— *To salute in friendship,* Ku utsa.
—— *To salute a superior, as a soldier his officer,* Ku utsa; ku lemekeza.
Hailstones, *n.* Talala, (la) matalala.

Hair, *n.* *Human hair,* Tsisi, (la) matsisi.
—— *The hair of animals,* Ubwea, (wa) maubwea.
—— *The long hair in the tails of some animals,* Ubwea wa ntshira wa (njati) (*buffalo*); *but of the tail of the elephant or zebra,* Ukanga, maukanga.
Hairy, *a.* *A hairy face,* -Atsisi.
Hale, *v. t.* *To seize,* Ku gwira.
Half, *n.* *Of solid,* Nusu, (la) manusu (*really part*).
—— *Of liquids, half or less than full,* Teka, (la) mateka.
Hall, *n.* *Court,* Bwalo, (la) mawalo.
Halloo, *v. i.* *To call after,* Ku itana.
—— *To encourage by shouts, as to dogs when after game,* Ku fulumiza.
—— *To a person when speaking encouragingly as to what he is engaged in doing,* Ku simba.
Hallow, *v. t.* *To consecrate, to make holy,* Ku yeretsa.
—— *To hallow to the service of God's house; to set apart, ordain,* Ku loeza.
—— *Hallow, as the Sabbath Day,* Ku sunga.
Hallowed, *p.p.* -Oyeretsedwa.
Halo, *n.* *Round the sun or moon,* Nkokwe ya mwezi, zinkokwe za.
Halt, *v. t.* *To limp,* Ku tshikama.
—— *To stand or stop,* Ku ima; ku leka.
—— *To halt on a march for the night, to bivouac,* Ku gona; ku manga nsasa.
—— *a.* *Lame, maimed,* -Opunduka; -atshipunumbu.
Halter, *n.* *Of horse,* Tondolo, (la) matondolo.
Halve, *v. t.* Ku dula m' kati.
Halves! *interj.* *To cry halves,* Tigawana tonse.
Ham, *n.* Muendo wa nguruwe.
Hamlet, *n.* Mlaga, (wa) milaga.
Hammer, *n.* Nyundo, zinyundo.
—— *v. t.* *To strike with a hammer,* Ku koma; ku komera.
—— *To forge or form iron or any metal with a hammer,* Ku sulira.
Hamstring, *v. t.* Ku dula ntsempa.
—— *n.* Ntsempa wa muendo, mitsempa ya.
Hand, *n.* Dzanja, (la) manja.
—— *The right hand,* Dzanja lamanja; *and* dzanja lakudia.
—— *The left hand,* Dzanja lamanzere.
—— *A left-handed person,* Muntu wamanzere.
—— *A right-handed person,* Muntu wamanja.
—— *v. t.* *To give or transmit with the hand,* Ku patsa ndi dzanja.
—— **over.** *To give up,* Ku pereka.
Handle, *n.* *Of a spade, axe, hoe,* Mpini, mipini.
—— *Handle of a pot, pail, etc.,* Kango, (la) makango.
—— **of a cup.** Nkomboti, mikomboti.
—— *v. t.* *By feeling anything soft, as cloth,* Ku tinyinda.
—— *By taking anything in the hand,* Ku gwira m' dzanja; ku tosa.
—— *To put a handle to an axe or hoe,* Ku panga nkwangwa mupini.
Handmaid, *n.* Bandazi wankazi, abandazi akazi.
—— *Female slave,* Ndzakazi, adzakazi.
Handsome, *a.* -Okongola.
Handsomeness, *n.* *When applied to men,* Kukongola.
Hang, *v. t.* *To hang up,* Ku patshika.
—— *To hang across the shoulders,* Ku kwapatira.
—— *To put to death by hanging,* Ku manga nkosi.
—— *v. i.* Ku kwapatiridwa.
—— *To hang down,* Ku werama.
—— *To hang down loosely, as a curtain,* Ku patshikidwa.

Hanging, *n.* *Any kind of drapery hung in a room, as a curtain, etc.*, Nsaru yotshinjira, nsaru zotsinjira.
Hap, *n.* *Sudden occurrence*, Kantu kobukira *or* kofulumira.
—— *Accident*, Mpingu, mipingu.
Haply, *adv.* Ndîtu; kapena.
Happen, *v. i.* Ku bukira; ku kala; ku fika.
Happiness, *n.* *Enjoyment*, Kusekera; tshimwemwe.
—— *Happiness conferred*, Kusekeretsa.
—— *A state of happiness*, Kusekera.
Happy, *a.* *In a happy state*, -Osekera.
—— *To be happy*, Ku sangalala.
Harass, *v. t.* Ku bvuta; ku sautsa.
Harbour, *n.* Pote, (la) mapote.
Hard, *a.* *Firm, solid, compact*, -Olimba; -olimbika.
—— *Of a tree, or hard wood*, -Ouma.
—— *Applied also to a person not easily moved by pity or tender affections*, -Ouma.
—— *Difficult*, e.g. *pushing through a narrow opening*, -Oserera.
—— *Heavy*, -Olemera.
—— *v. i.* *To be hard, strong*, Ku limbika.
—— *v. t.* *Of a tree*, Ku uma.
Harden, *v. t.* Ku limbikitsa, *ctr.* ku limbitsa.
Hard-hearted, *a.* -Ouma ntima.
Hardly, *adv.* Kolimba.
—— *With difficulty*, Kopereweza; koserera.
Hardness, *n.* Kulimba; kulimbika.
Hardship, *n.* Kusautswa, masautswo.
Hardy, *a.* *Strong*, -Olimba.
—— *Bold, brave, daring*, -Olimbika; -olimbika ntima.
—— *Self-willed, stubborn to excess*, -Odzedzeduka.
Hare, *n.* Kalulu, akalulu.
—— *Small species*, Kalulutsanga, akalulutsanga.
Harlot, *n.* Nkazi wa dama.
Harm, *v. t.* *To hurt the body*, Ku pweteka; ku pwetekesa.
—— *To inflict moral injury*, Ku kwiitsa; ku ipitsa.
—— *n.* Mpingo, mipingo; mpingu, mipingu.
Harmless, *a.* -Opanda mpingu; -opanda tshimwitsa.
Harmonize, *v.* *To accord*, Ku anjana.
Harp, *n.* Harpe, (la) maharpe; tshisakasa, dzisakasa.
Harper, *n.* Waharpe, aharpe.
Harrow, *n.* Tshokokolera, dzokokolera.
—— *v. t.* *To break ground with a harrow*, Ku kokola.
Hart, *n.* Nyama; nswala, zinswala.
Hartebeest, *n.* Ngondo, angondo.
Harvest, *v. t.* *To reap*, Ku tema.
—— *Of fruit*, Ku tsha.
—— *n.* *The season of reaping*, Masika.
—— *At harvest time*, Kwa masika.
Hash, *v. t.* *To prepare a hash by cutting meat into small pieces*, Ku tshekatsheka; ku nyenya.
—— *n.* Nyama yonyenya.
Hasp, *n.* Tshotsekera, dzotsekera.
Haste, *n.* *Speed*, Tshangu; nsangu.
—— *Precipitancy, rashness*, Kudzedzeduka.
—— *v. i.* *To act rashly*, Ku tshita kodzedzeduka.
—— Ku fulumira.
Hasten, *v. t.* *To urge forward*, Ku fulumiriza.
Hastily, *adv.* Kwansangu; kwa nsanga.
Hasty, *a.* *Angry*, -Okalipa.
Hat, *n.* Tshisoti, dzisoti; tshapea, dzapea.
Hatch, *v. t.* *To sit on eggs, as a hen*, Ku fungumira; ku sukusitsa.
—— *v. i.* *The act of coming forth from the shell*, Kuswa madzira. *The chickens are hatched*, Anapie anaturuka.

Hatchet, *n.* Nkwangwa, zinkwangwa.
Hate, *v. t.* Ku dana; ku kwia; Ku kwiira.
Hateful, *a.* -*O*kwiidwa.
—— *Disgusting*, -*O*nyansidwa.
Hatred, *n.* Kukwia.
Haughtily, *adv.* Kodzitama; kosimbwa.
Haughtiness, *n.* Kudzitama; kusimbwa.
Haughty, *v. i.* Ku nyada.
—— *a.* -*O*simbwa.
—— *Scornful*, -*O*nyada.
Haul, *v. t.* Ku koka.
Have, *v. t.* *To have possession of a thing*, Ku li ndi; ku potshera; ku pokera.
—— *To receive*, Ku landira.
—— **enough.** *Of food*, Ku kuta.
Haven, *n.* *Harbour*, Pote, (la) mapote.
Havoc, *v.* *To make havoc*, Ku mwaza.
Hawk, *n.* *Kite*, Kabawi, akabawi.
Hay, *n.* He, (la) mahe.
Haymaker, *n.* Wokokola, okokola; *refers chiefly to the raking of hay.*
Hazard, *v. t.* Ku dzitaia.
Haze, *n.* *Fog*, Kungu, zikungu; nkungu, zinkungu.
Hazy, *n.* *Foggy*, -*A*kungu.
He, *pron.* Ie. *In composition with a verb the subjective pronominal prefix is used. He speaks*, *A*nena.
Head, *n.* *Of the body*, mutu, mitu; *contracted* mtu *and* ntu.
—— *Shaved head*, Mpala.
—— **of a stick.** *The knob*, Mutu wa ndodo.
—— *The head or source of a river*, Gwero, (la) magwero.
—— *The head man of a village*, Mkuru, akuru; mbiri, ambiri.
Headache, *n.* *The idiom of the Chinyanja requires headache to be expressed thus:* Dimva mutu. *Lit. I have a head.*
Headstrong, *a.* -*O*patuka ntima.
Heal, *v. t.* *A person*, Ku tshiritsa.
—— *To heal a wound*, Ku pola; ku polera.
—— *v. i.* *To heal of sickness, to recover*, Ku tshira.
Healing, *n.* Kutshira, matshiritso.
Health, *n.* (*Wealth*) Tshisao, dzisao.
Healthful, *a.* *Sound*, -*O*limbika.
Healthy, *a.* -*A*tshisao; -olimba; -odziwika.
Healthy appearance, *n.* Kudziwika.
Heap, *v. t.* *To throw or lay in a heap*, Ku unjika.
—— *To lay by, to amass*, Ku ika; ku tshurukitsa zolemera.
—— *To heap one thing upon another*, Ku pambula.
—— *n.* *In general*, Mulu, miulu.
—— *A heap or pile of firewood*, Mulu wa nkuni.
—— *A heap of corn after being threshed out, and before it is put into sacks*, Mulu wa dzintu.
—— *An ant heap*, Tshulu, dzulu.
—— *A heap of any dead substances, as of vegetable refuse, or of dead bodies*, Mulu wa zotaia.
—— *A heap of stones thrown together by travellers*, Mulu wa miala, miulu ya.
Hear, *v. i.* Ku mva.
Hearing, *n.* *Audience*, Kumva.
Hearken, *v. i.* Ku mva.
Heart, *n.* *The human heart*, ntima, mitima.
Heart-burn, *n.* Tshilungulira, dzilungulira.
Hearth, *n.* Mkomboliro, mikomboliro.
Heartily, *adv.* *With sincerity*, Ndi nteradi; ndi ntima.
Heat, *n.* *In general*, Be; bebe, (la) mabebe; bebebe, *of fire.*
—— *Heat of the sun*, Kutenta.
—— *Vehement heat arising from a hot wind*, Kutenta.
—— *v. t.* *To warm, to make hot*, Ku tentesa.

Heat, *v. i.* *To heat one's self at fire,* Ku ota.
—— *To grow warm or hot,* Ku tenta.
Heathen, *n.* *Gentile,* Muntu wa mtundu wina, antu a.
Heave, *v. t.* *To throw,* Ku ponya.
—— *To lift up,* Ku tukula.
Heaven, *n.* *The region or expanse which surrounds the earth, the firmament,* Mlengalenga; mwamba, miamba.
—— *The abode of the blessed after death,* Kwa Mulungu; mwamba, miamba; kumwamba.
Heavenly, *a.* *Celestial,* -*A*mwamba.
Heavily, *adv.* Kolemera.
Heaviness, *n.* Kulemera; tsholemera.
Heavy, *a.* -*O*lemera.
—— *v. i.* **To be,** *or tired,* Ku lemedwa.
Hebrew, *n.* *A descendant of Jacob,* Mheberi, Aheberi.
Hedge, *n.* *A fence round a small enclosure near a house,* Tshinga, (la) matshinga.
—— *v. t.* Ku tshinga.
Heed, *v.i.* *To be careful of,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To beware of,* Ku tshenjera.
—— *To pay attention to so as to understand,* Ku samala.
Heedless, *a.* -Osasamala.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku sasamala.
Heedlessly, *adv.* Kosasamala.
Heedlessness, *n.* Kusasamala.
Heel, *n.* Tshitende, dzitende.
Heifer, *n.* *A young heifer about two years old,* Ng'ombe yosabala; nsoti, misoti.
Height, *n.* *Of a tree or person,* Utali (wa); mkuzuka (mwa).
—— *Of an elevated place,* Pamwamba; kuzuka.
Heir, *n.* Wanyumba, anyumba; woloa, oloa.
Heiress, n. Nkazi-woloa, akazioloa.
Hell, *n.* Hadesi; Geena.
Helm, *n.* Tsikiro, (la) matsikiro.
Helmet, *n.* Tshisoti, dzisoti.
Help, *v. t.* Ku tangata; ku tangatira.
—— *To help to work,* Ku tshita nai'.
—— *To help in difficulty, to assist,* Ku tangata.
—— *n.* Kutangata, matangato.
Helper, *n.* Wotangata, otangata; wotangatira, otangatira.
Hem, *v. t.* Ku minika.
—— *n.* Nsono, misono; mtsheu, mitsheu (*border*).
Hemp, *n.* *Wild hemp,* Tshamba, dzamba.
Hen, *n.* *The domestic hen,* Nkuku yatadzi; tadzi, (la) matadzi.
—— *Of birds in general,* Mbalame yatadzi, mbalame zatadzi.
Hence, *adv.* *From this cause,* Ndimo.
—— *Place,* Uko.
Henceforth, *adv.* Kwa tsopano.
Hencoop, *n.* Tshipwere tsha nkuku, dzipwere dza nkuku.
Her, *pron.* Ie.
After a verb the objective case of the pronoun is expressed for woman and child by inserting m, mu, *or* mw *as the pronominal verbal-medial before the root of the verb.*
Herb, *n.* *Wild leafy herb,* Tshitsamba, dzitsamba.
—— *Weeds, or young green grass,* Mpobvu, mipobvu.
—— *Garden herb,* Nsipu *and* msipu, misipu.
Herd, *n.* *A collection or drove of cattle,* Gulu, (la) magulu.
—— *v. t.* Ku busa; ku eta *and* weta.
Herdsman, *n.* Mbusa, abusa.
Here, *adv.* Apa.
—— *At or on this place,* Pano.
—— *At or to this place,* Kuno.
—— *In this place,* muno.
—— *Below,* Pansi pano.
Hereabouts, *adv.* Pano; kuno; pafupi; pafupi kuno.
Heresy, *n.* Jiru, zinjiru.
—— *Divisions,* Magawano.
Heretic, *n.* Wanjiru, anjiru.

Heretical, *a.* *Factious,* -*A*kugawa.
Heritage, *n.* Tsholoa, zoloa.
Hero, *n.* Nkoswe wolimba ntima.
Heroic, *a.* -*O*limba ntima.
Heroically, *adv.* Kolimba ntima.
Heroism, *n.* Kulimba ntima.
Hers, *pron.* -*A*tshi. *Her child,* Mwana watshi, *and shortened form,* mwanatshi. *Her cattle,* Ng'ombe zatshi.
Herself, *n.* Ie eka. *Work for yourself, my son,* Tshita kwa iwe eka, mwananga.
—— *To do a thing of her own free will, or without help from another,* Ku tshita ndi ntima; ku tshita eka.
Hesitate, *v.i.* *To be in doubt as to a matter,* Ku ganizaganiza.
—— *To hesitate in action,* Ku tshedwa. *The game escaped because he hesitated in firing at it,* Nyama inatawa tshifuka natshedwa ku ombera iyo.
Hesitation, *n.* Kutshedwa.
Hew, *v.t.* *To cut down,* Ku dula.
—— *To shape by cutting,* Ku tema; ku sema.
—— *To hew out, as a cave in a rock,* Ku fula.
Hiccough, *v. i.* Ku tshita ntshirutshiru.
—— *n.* Ntshirutshiru, zintshirutshiru.
Hidden, *p.p.* -*O*bisidwa.
Hide, *v. t.* Ku bisa.
—— *To cover,* Ku fundikila.
—— *v. i.* Ku bisala.
—— *n.* *The skin of a beast,* Tshikopa, dzikopa.
—— *A dressed hide made soft by currying,* Tshikopa tshofufutidwa; dzikopa dzofufutidwa.
Hideous, *a.* -*O*opsetsa. *A hideous thing,* Tshintu tshoopsetsa.
Hideousness, *n.* Kuopsetsa.
Hiding, *n.* Kubisa.
Hiding-place, *n.* Malo obisala.
High, *a.* *In stature,* -Tali. *A high tree,* Ntengo woutali.
—— *Estate,* Ukuru watshi.
Highly, *adv.* Kwakutali.
High mind, *n.* Muwongo mudzitama.
Highminded, *a.* -*O*dzitama.
Highway, *n.* *A public road,* Nkwalala, (la) makwalala; njira, zinjira.
—— *A highwayman, a lawless person, robber,* Wolanda, olanda.
Hilarious, *a.* -*O*sekera; -oseka.
—— *To be hilarious, v. i.* Ku sekera.
Hilarity, *n.* Kuseka.
Hill, *n.* Piri laling'ono, mapiri. (*Mountain,* Piri.)
—— *Ant-hill,* Mulu, miulu.
Hillock, *n.* Ntunda, zintunda; tshitunda, dzitunda.
Hilt, *n.* *Or handle of knife or hoe,* Npini, mipini.
Him, *pron.* Ie. *When as the accusative of the verb, the same forms are used as given under the word* Her, *which see.*
Himself, *n.* *The same forms are used for* Himself *as for* Herself, *which see. This arises from the distinction of* gender *having no grammatical government in Chinyanja, the prefixes of the nouns determining the forms used in construction.*
Hinder, *v. t.* *To retard progress, to impede,* Ku tshedwa; ku tshedwetsa.
—— *To prevent, to stop progress by barriers,* Ku letsa.
—— *To hinder in the prosecution of a purpose by diverting the attention,* Ku tshedwetsa.
—— *To hinder or prevent the possession of a thing,* Ku letsa.
—— *To check,* Ku dzudzula.
Hindrance, *n.* Kutshedwa; kuletsa.
—— *Hindrance to the possession of a thing,* Letso, (la) maletso.
Hint, *v.i.* Ku dodoma; ku nong'ona.
—— *n.* Dodomo, (la) madodomo; nong'ono, (la) manong'ono.

Hip, *n.* Tako, (la) matako.
Hip-joint, *n.* Mphande ya muendo, *or* ya ntako, zimphande.
Hippopotamus, *n.* Mvu, amvu, *and* zimvu.
Hire, *v. t.* Ku lipira; ku gwiritsa ntshito otshita.
—— *n.* Kulipira; lipiro, (la) malipiro.
Hired, *p.p.* -*O*lipidwa.
His, *pron.* -Atshi, *etc. The same forms as are found under the word* Hers, *which see.*
Hiss, *v. i. As a serpent, and as a kitten,* Ku pepera; ku kalipa.
—— *To cause to do so,* Ku peperezа.
History, *n.* Mwambi, miambi.
Hit, *v. t. To strike with a stick,* Ku menya.
—— *To hit a mark with a stick, stone, or gun,* Ku lasa.
Hitch, *v. t. To hook,* Ku koloweka.
—— *n.* Kulepera.
Hither, *adv. To this place,* Kuno.
—— *Come hither,* Idza kuno.
Hoard, *v. t. To lay up goods or cattle,* Ku kumbula.
—— *To lay by riches,* Ku ika.
Hoarse, *a.* Osasa pa mero.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku sasa pa mero.
Hoarseness, *n.* Kusasa pa mero.
Hock, *n. A part of the thigh,* ntsali, mitsali.
Hoe, *n.* Kasu, (la) makasu.
—— *v. t.* Ku lima.
Hog, *n.* Njiri, anjiri.
Hoist, *v. t. To a height,* Ku kweza; ku patshika.
—— *To lift from the ground,* Ku tukula.
Hold, *v. i.* Ku gwira.
—— **down,** Ku sindikiza.
—— *To hold fast to,* Ku gwiriza *and* itsa.
—— *To hold on to,* Ku patikiza.
—— *Contain, keep,* Ku sunga.
—— **in honour,** Ku ganiza ndi ulemu.
—— **forth.** Ku turutsa.
Holder, *n. Of anything,* Tshogwirira. *Holder of candle, candle-stick,* Tshogwirira tsha nyali.
Hole, *n. A large hole in the ground, a den of wild beast,* Panga, (la) mapanga.
—— *A moderately large hole, as in a wall or a plank, a hole in cloth or in a garment,* Tshibo, dzibo.
—— *A hole or gap in a hedge,* Komo, (la) makomo.
—— *A hole in the ear for an earring,* Mpanda ya kutu, mpanda za makutu.
—— *A pit,* Dzenje, (la) maenje.
—— **Rat's.** Una, (wa) mauna.
Holily, *adv.* Koyera.
Holiness, *n.* Kuyera.
Hollow, *a. Not solid,* -*A*berewere.
—— *v. t. To hollow out,* Ku tendeula.
—— *n. The hollow of the palm of the hand,* Tshikato, dzikato.
—— *Anything hollow on the surface so as to present a regular curve, as a valley running through a flat country,* Nsana, misana.
—— *Saddle-shaped hollow of hill,* Nsana wa piri.
Hollow-backed, *a. As a horse,* -*A*mbina.
Hollowness, *n.* Berewere, (la) maberewere; mbina, zimbina.
Holy, *a.* -*O*yera.
—— *Clean,* -*O*sisira; *as exclamation,* Wa mbu!
—— *v. i. To be holy,* Ku yera.
Holy of Holies, *n.* Oyera a oyera.
Holy place, *n. Sanctuary,* Malo oyera.
—— **Spirit,** *n.* Nzimu Woyera.
Home, *n. The house or place in which one resides,* Komwe, *plu.* Komwe; ku bwanja kwa*tshi.*
—— *One's own country,* Dziko la*tshi.*
—— *v. To go home,* Ku enda kwa*tshi.*
—— *To take home,* Ku tenga kwa*tshi.*

Homesick, To be, *v. i.* Ku unguluma.
Honest, *a.* -*A*pe.
Honestly, *adv.* Bwino; kwape; kwaulemu.
Honesty, *n.* Upe.
Honey, *n.* Utshi, (wa) mautshi.
Honey-bee, *n.* Njutshi, zinjutshi.
Honey-bird, *n.* Songwe, (wa) asongwe.
Honeycomb, *n.* Tshisa, dzisa.
—— *The cells of the honey,* Maso.
Honey-guide, *n.* Nsadzu, zinsadzu.
This bird will lead a person to the nest of bees in a forest, going before him from tree to tree, and uttering its cry to call attention, until it leads him to the nest of honey; it will then sit over the nest until the honey is taken out, and then eat what is left for it by the finder.
Honour, *n.* Ulemu, (wa) maulemu.
—— *v. t.* Ku lemekeza; ku tshita ulemu. *Honour thy father and thy mother,* Lemekeza atatu ako ndi amai ako.
Honourable, *a.* -*A*ulemu; -olemerera; -otshuka.
Honourably, *adv.* Kwaulemu.
Hood, *n.* *A covering for the head,* Tshopimba pa mutu.
—— *v. t.* *To cover the head,* Ku pimba.
Hoof, *n.* *Of an animal whose hoof is solid like the horse,* Pondo, (la) (mbidzi, *zebra*) mapondo.
—— *The upper part of a cloven hoof, the hard ring or horny substance above the cloven part,* Tshikabado, dzikabado.
Hook, *n.* Ngodzo, zingodzo.
—— *A fish-hook,* Mbedza, zimbedza.
—— *v. t.* Ku koloweka.
—— Ku edza; ku manga nsomba.
Hoop, *n.* Nkwasa, mikwasa.
Hop, *n.* Kutshikama.
—— *v. i.* *To jump on one leg,* Ku tshikama.
—— *As a grasshopper,* Ku lumpa.
Hope, *v. i.* Ku lingalira.
—— *n.* Kulingalira; dingalira, d. zambiri.
Hopeful, *a.* -*O*lingalira.
Hopefully, *adv.* Kolingalira.
Hopefulness, *n.* Kulingalira.
Horn, *n.* *Of an animal,* Nyanga, zinyanga.
—— *Tusk of elephant,* Nyanga wa njobvu, minyanga ya.
Hornbill, *n.* *A bird so called,* Pomwombo, mipomwombo.
Hornet, *n.* Dabvu, mabvu.
Horrible, *a.* -*O*ipa; -*oo*psa.
Horribly, *adv.* Koipa; koopsa.
Horrid, *a.* -*Oo*psa.
Horse, *n.* Kavalo, akavalo.
Horse-dung, *n.* Tubvi, matubvi a kavalo.
Horse-hair, *n.* Tsisi la kavalo.
Hospitable, *a.* -*O*sungira olendo.
Hospitality, *n.* Kuyang'anira olendo.
—— *Given to hospitality,* Kutsata ku yang'anira olendo.
Host, *n.* *Entertainer,* Mwanansi, anansi; mwini wa nyumba, eni a nyumba.
—— *A number of men, as an army,* Gulu la ankhondo.
—— *Heavenly body,* Nko, miko.
—— *Of people,* Antu ambiri.
Hostile, *a.* -*A*ndeu; -ankarwe.
Hostility, *n.* Ndeu, zindeu; nkondo, zinkondo.
Hot, *a.* -*O*tenta, *The sun is hot,* zua liri lotenta.
Hotness, *n.* Tshitungu.
Hour, *n.* Ora, (la) maora.
House, *n.* Nyumba, zinyumba.
—— *House of the chief, palace,* Kuka, makuka.
—— *House to house, from,* Ku nyumba ndi nyumba.
Household, *n.* Banja, (la) mabanja *and* maanja.

Householder, *n.* Mwini wa nyumba, eni a nyumba.
Housewife, *n.* Akuka.
Hovel, *n.* Tshitukululu, dzitukululu.
Hover, *v. i.* *As a bird,* Ku lenga.
How, *adv.* -Nje; bwanje? *By what means, or for what reason?* Kwa tshifukwa tshiani?
—— *How many times, or how often?* -Ngati?
—— *How much?* -Otshuruka -nje?
—— *How large is it?* -Kuru bwanje?
—— *How long, or how high is it?* -Tali bwanje?
—— *How are you?* Uli bwanje?
—— *How now?* Nanga? nanga bwanje?
—— *How far is it?* Kutali bwanje?
—— *How is it that you act thus?* Utshita tshointshi bwanje?
However, *adv.* *At all events, nevertheless,* M' tshointsho.
Howl, *v. i.* Ku bula.
—— *n.* Kubula, mabulo.
Huddle, *v. i.* Ku bvunganiza.
Hug, *v. t.* Ku fungatira.
Huge, *a.* *Large,* -Kuru.
Hum, *v. i.* *As a bee,* Ku bumba.
—— *n.* Bumo, (la) mabumo.
Human, *a.* -*A*antu.
Humane, *a.* -*A*ulere. *A humane person,* Muntu waulere.
Humanely, *adv.* Kolere.
Humaneness, *n.* Ulere.
Human-kind, *n.* Antu.
Human nature, *n.* Umuntu; untu, ubuntu; makalidwe.
Humble, *v. t.* *To humble a person, to abase or reduce one's rank,* Ku tshepetsa.
—— *v. i.* *To humble one's self,* Ku dzitshepetsa.
—— *a.* -*O*fatsa.
Humbly, *adv.* Kofatsa.
Humbug, *v. t.* *To promise much and perform little,* Ku siriza.
Humid, *a.* *Moist,* -*O*nyatamira.
—— *Damp,* Nyonto.
—— *v. i.* *To be moist, damp,* Ku nyatamira.
Humidity, *n.* Kunyatamira.
Humiliation, *n.* Kutshepetsa: kutshepetsedwa.
Humility, *n.* Kusadzitama.
Humorous, *a.* -*O*seketsa.
Humour, *n.* *Of the eyes,* Mantongo.
Hump, *n.* *The hump on the neck of an African ox, by which it pulls in the yoke,* Dzenze, (la) madzenze.
Humpback, *n.* Muntu wopeteka; muntu wokoeka.
Hunch. (See **Hump.**)
Hundred, *a.* Makumi okaoka kumi; zana, (la) mazana, *really a Tshigunda word.*
Hunger, *n.* Njala, zinjala.
—— *v. i.* *To hunger,* Ku kala ndi njala; ku mva njala.
—— *To hunger after,* Ku funitsa.
Hungry, *a.* -*A*njala.
Hunt, *v. t.* *To chase wild animals,* Ku saka.
—— *To search for,* Ku funa.
Hunter, *n.* Wosaka nyama, osaka nyama.
—— *a great hunter,* Mpulula, ampulula.
—— *Of small game,* Podzo, apodzo. *By some this is used of fishermen.*
Hurl, *v. t.* Ku ponya.
Hurricane, *n.* Mondwe.
Hurriedly, *adv.* Kwansangu; nsanga.
Hurry, *v. t.* Ku fulumiza; ku fulumiritsa.
—— *v. i.* *To act hastily, so as to mar an enterprise,* Ku fulumira.
—— *n.* *Sudden nervous haste, or excitement,* Kuzimbaitsa.
—— *Precipitancy in action,* Kufulumiza.

Hurt, *v. t. To hurt by inflicting injury,* Ku poteka; ku pweteka.
—— *To hurt the person by striking,* Ku menya.
—— *By wounding,* Ku lasa.
—— *To hurt a wound or sore place,* Ku pwetekesa bala *or* tshironda.
—— *a. When spoken of a person,* -*O*lasibwa.
Husband, *n.* Mamuna, amuna; mwanana.
Husbandry, *n.* Ulimi.
Hush! *v. t.* Tshete! tontola! kala tshete! *When addressed to more persons than one,* Tontolani!
—— *To quiet, to appease,* Ku teteza.
—— *To command silence,* Ku tontoza; ku tshetamitsa.
—— *n.* Tshete, (wa).
Husk, *n. Covering of the maize cob, or of a nut,* Koko, (la) makoko.
Hut, *n. The native hut for dwelling in,* Nyumba, zinyumba.
—— *The hut erected in a garden or cultivated land as a place of shelter for those who watch or take care of the garden,* Nsanja, zinsanja.
—— *Temporary,* Nsasa *and* msasa.
Hutch, *n.* Tshikukumba, zikukumba.
Hyacinth, *n. Coloured,* Yezuka.
Hyena, *n.* Fisi, (wa) afisi.
Hymn, *n.* Nyimbo, zinyimbo.
Hypocrisy, *n.* Kunyenga; tshinyengo.
Hypocrite, *n. One who feigns in action, or by fair speech,* Watshinyengo, atshinyengo.
Hypocritically, *adv.* Konyenga.
—— *v. i. To act hypocritically,* Ku nyenga.
Hysteria, *n.* Tshizumbazumba, dzizumbazumba.
Hysterical, *a.* -*A*tshizumbazumba.

I.

I has in Chinyanja the long sound of *ee* in *feet,* and the short sound of *i* in *fin;* the former in accented, the latter in unaccented syllables.
I, *per. pron.* Ine *and* ini.
—— *Pronominal prefix to the verb,* Di *and* ndi. *I love,* Dikonda.
Ice, *n.* Tshisanu.
Idea, *n.* Ntintu, (la) matintu.
Idiot, *n.* Tsedwe, (la) matsedwe.
Idle, *a.* Ulezi *and* ulesi.
—— *v. i.* Ku kala kwaulesi; ku kala ndi ulesi.
Idleness, *n.* Ulesi.
Idle person, *n.* Mlesi, alesi.
Idle tales, *n.* Miambi ya tshabe.
Idly, *adv.* Kwaulesi.
Idol, *n.* Fano, (la) mafano.
Idolater, *n.* Wopembedza fano, opembedza fano; antu a mafano.
Idolatry, *n.* Kupembedza mafano.
If, *conj.* Ngati.
Ignite, *v. t. To kindle a fire,* Ku koleza moto.
—— *To set fire to anything,* Ku atsa.
Ignition, *n.* Kuaka.
Ignorance, *n.* Kusadziwa; kupulukira; ntsiro.
Ignorant, *v. i. To be,* Ku pulukira.
—— *a. Destitute of knowledge of a thing,* -*O*sadziwa; -opulukira.
—— *Miserable,* -*O*zingalidwa.
—— *n. Ignorant or unlearned,* Wopulukira, opulukira.
Ill, *a. Bad or evil,* -*O*ipa.
—— *Out of health,* -*O*dwala.
—— *Ill luck,* Tsoka.
Illegitimate, *a. Unlawful,* -*O*sali; -*a*mau.
—— *An illegitimate child,* Mwana wa ntengo.

Ill-looking, *a.* *Of sickness,* Nkope yodwala.
—— *Bad,* Nkope yoipa.
Illness, *n.* Kudwala.
Illuminate, } *v. t.* Ku unika.
Illumine, }
Illumination, *n.* Kuunika; kuwala.
Illumine, *v. t.* *Emit light at-intervals, as a firefly, to give an eclipsing light,* Ku ng'anima.
Image, *n.* Tunzi *and* tshitunzi; fanizo, (la) mafanizo.
Imagination, *n.* Kuganiza.
Imaginations. *Reasonings,* Ganizo, (la) maganizo.
Imagine, *v. i.* Ku ganiza kwa tshabe.
Imitate, *v. t.* Ku fanizira.
Imitation, *n.* Kufanizidwa, kufaniza.
Imitator, *n.* Wofaniza, ofaniza.
Immature, *a.* *Green, of fruit,* -*O*wisi.
Immeasurably, *adv.* Kosayeza.
Immediate, *a.* -*A*tsopano.
Immediately, *adv.* Tsopano lino.
Immense, *a.* -Kuru.
Immerse, *v. t.* Ku biza.
Immersion, *n.* Kubiza.
Immigrate, *v. i.* Ku loa m' dziko.
Immigration, *n.* Kuloa m' dziko.
Immodest, *a.* -*O*panda manyazi.
Immodestly, *adv.* Kopanda manyazi.
Immodesty, *n.* Kupanda manyazi.
Immoral, *a.* *Sinful,* -*O*ipa. *An immoral man,* Muntu woipa.
—— *Evil,* -*A*mpulupulu.
Immorality, *n.* Tshigololo.
Immorally, *adv.* Kwatshigololo.
Immortal, *a.* -*O*safa.
Immortality, *n.* Kusafa.
Immovable, *a.* -*O*sasuntika. *The stone is fast, immovable,* Mwala uli wosasuntika.
Immure, *v. t.* Ku ika m'.
Immutability, *n.* Kusasintanitsa; kusasintika.
Immutable, *a.* -*O*sasintika.
Impair, *v. t.* Ku fupitsa; ku tshepetsa.
Impart, *v. t.* *To give to, to bestow upon,* Ku patsa.
Impartiality, *n.* Kudeka.
Impassable, *a.* *As a mountain,* -*O*satedwa ku kwera.
—— *As a river,* -*O*satedwa ku yambuka.
Impatience, *n.* Kusalongosoka.
Impatient, *a.* -*O*salongosoka.
Impatiently, *adv.* Kosalongosoka.
Impede, *v. t.* *To hinder,* Ku tshedwetsa.
—— *To obstruct, to place difficulties in the way,* Ku imitsa (antu).
—— *To stop progress, to bar a way,* Ku steka njira.
Impel, *v. t.* *To urge forward,* Ku fulumiza.
—— *To press or urge to any course of action,* Ku taulira; ku fulumiritsa.
Impend, *v. i.* Ku imika.
Impenitent, *a.* -*O*satembenuka.
Imperfect, *a.* *Not matured,* -*O*sapsa; -*o*wisi; -*o*sata.
Impertinence, *n.* Kulamwa.
Impertinent, *a.* -*O*lamwa.
Impetuous, *a.* -*O*kwaruka.
Impetuously, *adv.* Kwatshangu.
Impetuousness, *n.* Kukwaruka.
Implant, *v. t.* Ku oka.
Implore, *v. t.* *To pray for mercy, to implore help,* Ku pempa; ku pempetsa.
Importunate, *a.* -*O*umirira.
Importune, *v.* *To be importunate,* Ku umirira.
Importunity, *n.* Kuumirira.
Impose, *v. t.* *To impose on, to deceive.* Ku nyenga. *You impose on me,* Undinyenga.
—— *To place,* Ku ika.
Imposition, *n.* Kunyenga.
Impossibility, *n.* Kusata.
Impossible, *a.* -*O*sateka *and* -*a*kusata.
Impostor, *n.* Wonyenga, onyenga.

Impotent, *n.* Wofoka, ofoka.
—— *a.* -*O*panda mpamvu.
Impoverish, *v. t.* Ku saukitsa.
Imprecate, *v. t.* Ku tukwana.
—— *To doom,* Ku lamula.
Imprecation, *n.* Tukwano, (la) matukwano.
Impregnate, *v. t.* Ku balisa.
Impress, *v. t.* *To print, to stamp,* Ku sindikiza.
—— *To compel,* Ku kakamiza.
—— *To impress on the mind,* Ku sindikiza.
Impression, *n.* Sindikizo, (la) masindikizo.
Imprint, *v. t.* Ku sindikiza.
Imprisonment, *n.* Kuika m' nyumba ya ndima.
Improper, *a.* -*O*ipa ; -*o*samau.
Improve, *v. t.* Ku tshita kopambana.
—— *In health,* Ku ongotshera.
Impudence. *n.* Punzo, (la) mapunzo.
Impudent, *a.* -*A*punzo.
Impuls *n.* *Idea,* Tintu, (la) matintu.
Impure, *a.* -*O*da ; -oipa. *Impure water,* madzi oipa.
—— *Of any animal considered impure or unclean for food,* -Nko.
Impurity, *n.* Kuda.
—— *Of life,* Kwaipa.
Imputations, *n.* *Insinuations of evil conduct,* Jedegulo, (la) majedegulo.
Impute, *v. t.* *To set to the account of,* Ku mvanitsitsa; ku werengera.
—— *To impute or insinuate evil conduct to a person,* Ku jedegula.
—— *To charge with, to impute guilt,* Ku tshula.
In, *prep.* Mu ; m' ; mwa ; mo *prefix or suffix.* *In the river,* M' ntsinje.
—— *In regard of,* Ndi.
—— *I am in haste,* Difulumira.
—— *You have come in time,* Unafika pa ntawi.
In, *prep.* *In order that,* Monga kuti ; kuti. *I have come in order that you may go,* Dinafika monga kuti umuke.
—— *In truth,* M' nteradi ; ndi nteradi.
—— *In a hill,* M' piri; pakati pa piri.
—— *In the name of,* M' dzina. *In the name of Christ,* M' dzina la Kristu.
—— *In that case,* M' tshimenetshi.
—— *In the morning,* M' mamawa.
—— *In the evening,* M' madzulo.
—— *In that year,* M' tshaka tshidya.
—— *In this year,* M' tshaka tshimene.
Inability, *n.* Kusadziwa.
Inaccessible, *a.* -*O*lepera ; -olepedwa.
Inaccurate, *a.* -*O*poponya.
Inaccurately, *adv.* Kopoponya.
Inactive, *a.* *An inactive, listless person,* -*O*kokoa.
Inactivity, *n.* Kukokoa.
Inattention, *n.* Kusamvetsa.
Inattentive, *a.* -*O*samvetsa.
Inattentively, *adv.* Kosamvetsa.
Incense, *v. t.* *To enkindle anger in another,* Ku kwiitsa.
—— *n.* Tshonung'kira, zonung'kira ; tshofukiza, zofukiza.
—— *To burn,* Ku fukiza zonung'kira.
Incensed, *a.* *Angered,* -*O*kwiitsidwa.
Incessant, *a.* **Incessantly,** *adv.* *Made by repetition of verb.* *It rained incessantly,* Inavumbiravumbira.
Incest, *n.* Mpingu, mipingu.
—— *v. i.* *To commit,* Ku laula.
Inch, *n.* Inshe, (la) mainshe.
Inchant. (*See* **Enchant.**)
Incident, *n.* *A casualty,* Kantu kobukira.
Incidental, *a.* *Casual,* -*O*bukira.
Incidentally, *adv.* *Without intention,* Kobukira.

Incision, *n.* Kutema; kudula; kutsheka.
Incite, *v. t.* *To urge on,* Ku fulumiza.
Inclemency, *n.* *Of weather,* Kuipa.
Inclement, *a.* *Unmerciful,* -*O*panda nsisi; -*a*nkarwe.
—— *Of weather,* -*O*ipa.
Inclemently, *adv.* Koipa.
Inclination, *n.* *A leaning,* Kuseama.
—— *A leaning of the will,* Kufuna.
Incline, *v. t.* *The person,* Ku seamitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku seama.
—— *To draw towards,* Ku funa.
—— *To incline towards by being out of the perpendicular,* Ku pendama.
—— *v. t.* Ku pendamitsa.
Inclose, *v. t.* *To surround, as with a fence,* Ku tshinga; ku zunguniza.
—— *To shut in,* Ku tseka.
—— *To place inside, as in a letter,* Ku ika m'.
Inclosure, *n.* Tshoikidwa, dzoikidwa.
Incommode, *v. t.* *To annoy,* Ku bvuta.
Incomprehensible, *a.* -*O*sadziwika.
Incomputable, *a.* -*O*dana.
Inconsistency, *n.* Kupindukapinduka.
Inconsistent, *a.* -*O*pindukapinduka.
Incorruptible, *a.* -*O*sabvunditsidwa; -*o*sabvunda.
Increase, *v. i.* *In bulk or quantity,* Ku kula.
—— *Of progeny of lower animals,* Ku swana.
—— *v. t.* Ku kulitsa; ku onjeza.
—— *n.* *Of bulk or quantity,* Kukula; kuonjeza.
—— *Of progeny,* Kuswana.
—— *Of the earth, as fruit or corn,* Dzikula; dzipindulika.
Incubate, *v. t.* Ku sukusitsa; ku fungumira.
Incubation, *n.* Kusukusitsa.
Incumber, *v. t.* *To embarrass,* Ku tshedwetsa.
Incumbrance, *n.* Tshotshedwetsa, dzotshedwetsa.
Incur, *v. i.* *To become liable to,* Ku tetswa.
—— *To incur guilt,* Ku tshimwa.
Indecision, *n.* *In action,* Ku sotsherasotshera.
—— *Of mind, doubt,* Ku ganizaganiza.
Indecisive, *a.* -*O*sotsherasotshera.
Indecisively, *adv.* Kosotsherasotshera.
Indelicate, *a.* -*O*tsiruka.
Indent, *v. t.* *As by a bruise in a metal vessel,* Ku pwaliza.
Indentation, *n.* *A recess, or depression in any border,* Mpualizo, (ya) mapualizo.
Independent, *a.* *As to action,* -*O*sasamala.
Independently, *adv.* Kosasamala.
Indicate, *v. t.* *To hint at,* Ku zimbaitsa.
—— *To show, to point out,* Ku sonya.
Indication, *n.* Kuzimbaitsa; kusonya.
Indict, *v. t.* *To charge with a crime,* Ku tshula.
Indictment, *n.* Tshulo, (la) matshulo.
Indifference, *n.* Kusadziwitsa; kukaika.
Indifferent, *a.* -*O*sadziwitsa; -*o*kaika.
—— *Careless, reckless,* -*O*sasamala.
Indifferently, *adv.* Kokaika; kosadziwitsa.
Indignant, *a.* -*O*kwia.
Indignantly, *adv.* Kokwia.
Indignation, *n.* Kukwia; kulunduka.
Indiscreet, *a.* *In speaking,* Amanenanena; -opusa.
Indiscreetly, *adv.* *In speaking,* Kwamanena; kopusa.

Indiscretion, *n.* *In speaking,* Manenanena ; kupusa.
Indissoluble, *a.* -*O*samariza.
Indistinct, *a.* *Obscure,* -*A*ndima; -osaonetsa.
Indistinctly, *adv.* Kwandima ; kosaonetsa.
Indistinctness, *n.* *Of vision,* -*O*saonekera ; -osaonetsa.
Individual, *n.* Muntu ; muntu modzi.
—— *a.* -*O*anjanitswa.
Individualize, *v. t.* Ku anjanitsa.
Individually, *adv.* Koanjanitswa.
Indolence, *n.* Ulesi.
Indolent, *a.* -*A*ulesi.
Indolently, *adv.* Kwaulesi.
Indulge, *v. t.* Ku peketsa ; ku dzaza.
Indulgence, *n.* Kupekera ; kuanja ; kudzaza.
Industrious, *a.* -*A*tshangu.
Industriously, *adv.* Kwatshangu.
Industry, *n.* Ntshito, zintshito.
Inebriate, *v. t.* Ku ledzeretsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku ledzera.
—— *n.* Muledzi, aledzi ; woledzera, oledzera.
Inebriated, *a.* -*O*ledzera.
Ineffective, *a.* -*O*leperedwa.
Ineffectively, *adv.* Kolepera ; koleperedwa.
Inefficacious, *a.* -*O*lepera.
Inequality, *n.* Kusalingana.
Inert, *a.* *Of drugs,* -*O*salimba.
Inertly, *adv.* Kosalimba.
Inertness, *n.* Kusalimba.
Inexorable, *a.* *Not to be moved by entreaty,* -*O*sapembedzeka.
Inexorableness, *n.* Kusapembedzeka.
Inexorably, *adv.* Kosapembedzeka.
Infallible, *a.* -*O*panda pena *or* kena.
Infallibility, *n.* Kupanda pena *or* kena.
Infamous, *a.* -*A*pasulo.
Infamy, *n.* Pasulo, (la) mapasulo.
Infancy, *n.* Ukanda.
Infant, *n.* Kanda, (la) makanda.
Infanticide, *n.* Kupa kanda.
Infantile, *a.* -*A*kanda.
Infect, *v. t.* Ku *or* kwi ambuza.
Infection, *n.* Kwiambuza.
Inferior, *n.* Wang'ono, ang'ono.
Infinite, *a.* -*O*bulumuntira.
Infirm, *a.* -*O*foka.
—— *n.* *An infirm, weak person,* Wofoka, ofoka.
Infirmity, *n.* *Weakness,* Kufoka, mafoko ; kulema.
—— *Any particular disease,* Ntenda, zintenda.
Infirmly, *adv.* Kofoka.
Inflame, *v. t.* *To kindle, to cause to burn,* Ku atsa.
—— *To stir up the fire so as to raise a flame,* Ku bvundula moto ; ku utsa moto ; ku koleza moto.
—— *To provoke, to irritate,* Ku puta.
—— *As a sore,* Ku tukumira.
Inflate, *v. t.* Ku tumula.
Inflict, *v. t.* *To inflict pain,* Ku pwetekesa.
—— *Punishment,* Ku langa.
Inform, *v. t.* *To tell to,* Ku ulira.
—— *To inform against,* Ku taulira.
—— *To inform officially,* Ku bukitsa.
Information, *n.* Tshobukira, dzobukira.
—— *News,* Makalidwe.
Infuriate, *v. t.* Ku kwiitsa.
Infuriated, *a.* -*O*kwiitsidwa.
Ingeniously, *adv.* -*A*tintu.
Ingeniousness, } *n.* Tintu, (la)
Ingenuity, } matintu.
—— Utintu (watshi).
Ingraft, *v. t.* Ku komaniza.
Ingress, *n.* Kuloa.
Inhabit, *v. i.* Ku kala.
Inhabitant, *n.* Wokala, okala.
Inherit, *v. t.* Ku loa.
Inheritance, *n.* Tshamasie, zamasie ; tsholoa, zoloa ; kuloa ; kuloeza.
—— *Property,* Tshuma, zuma.
Inheritor, *n.* Woloa, oloa.
Iniquitous, *a.* -*A*mpulupulu.

Iniquitously, *adv.* Kwampulupulu.
Iniquity, *n.* Mpulupulu.
Initiate, *v. t.* *To do the first act,* Ku amba.
—— *To instruct,* Ku ambitsa; ku punzitsa.
—— *To instruct in the principles of a society or craft,* Ku ambitsa makalidwe.
—— *v. i.* *To perform the first rite, to begin to practise in any profession,* Ku amba; ku sanduka.
Initiation, *n.* Kuambitsa.
Injure, *v. t.* *To hurt or wound the person,* Ku lasa; ku pweteketesa.
—— *To damage an article,* Ku ipitsa.
—— *To slander, to injure the character,* Ku namiza; ku ipitsa.
Injurious, *a.* -*O*lasa; -opweteketsa; -oipitsa; -onamiza.
Injuriously, *adv.* Kolasa; kopweteketsa; koipitsa; konamiza.
Injury, *n.* Laso, (la) malaso; kupweteka, mapweteko; kuipitsa; kunamiza.
Ink, *n.* Inke, (la) mainke.
Inland, *n.* Dziko la mapiri.
Inlander, *n.* *Opposed to coastman,* Wakuntunda, akuntunda.
Inn, *n.* Bwalo, (la) mabwalo.
Innocence, *n.* *Freedom from guilt,* Kusatshimwa.
Innocent, *a.* -*O*satshimwa.
Innocently, *adv.* Kosatshimwa.
Innumerable, *a.* -*O*sawereng'jeka, -osawerengeka; -osadziwa ku werengedwa.
Innumerably, *adv.* Kosawerengeka.
Inoculate, *v. t.* Ku temera ntomba.
Inoculation, *n.* Kutemera ntomba.
Inquietude, *n.* *Disturbed state of society,* Tshituzu, zituzu.
—— *Disturbance of mind,* Kuntuntumira.
Inquire, *v. t.* *To ask a question,* Ku funsa.
—— *To inquire into, to investigate,* Ku funsira; ku funsitsa.
—— *To inquire eagerly, as in anger,* Ku tuzula.
—— *To search out,* Ku funsitsa.
Inquiringly, *adv.* Kofunsa.
Inquiry, *n.* Kufunsa.
—— **To make,** *v. t.* Ku funsa.
Insane, *a.* -*A*misala. *An insane person,* Muntu wamisala.
Insanely, *adv.* Kwamisala.
Insanity, / **Insaneness,** } *n.* Misala.
Insect, *n.* *A small creeping animal,* Tshirombo, dzirombo; tshokwawa, dzokwawa.
Inside, *n.* *Of a beast, or entrails,* Matumbo.
—— *Stomach,* Tshifu, dzifu; *small intestine,* tumbo laling'ono; *great intestine,* tumbo lalikuru.
—— *adv.* Mbwalo; mkati; mukati.
Insinuate, *v. t.* *To insinuate evil of another,* Ku kumbira.
Insinuation, *n.* *Of evil,* Kukumbira.
Insipid, *a.* *Without salt,* -*O*sanyukunya.
—— *Without sweetness,* -*O*satsekemera.
Insolent, *a.* -*O*nyoza; -*a*kupepuza.
Inspect, *v. t.* *To look into, to examine,* Ku yang'anitsa.
Inspection, *n.* Kuyang'anitsa.
Inspiration, *n.* *The act of drawing air into the lungs,* Kubweza *and* kubwezera mpwea.
—— *The act of breathing into or upon,* Kupuzirira. *All Scripture given by inspiration of God,* Malemba onse opuziriridwa ndi Mulungu.
Inspire, *v. t.* *By Holy Spirit,* Ku puzirira.
Instant, *n.* Kantawi.
—— *a.* -*A*tshangu.

Instantaneously, *adv.* Kwatshangu.
Instantly, *adv.* Tsopano lino; pomene apa.
Instinct, *n.* Tintu, (la) matintu.
Instruct, *v. t.* *By books, to educate,* Ku punzitsa.
—— *By advice,* Ku weruza.
—— *To explain,* Ku sonya; ku sonyeza.
Instruction, *n.* *By books, education,* Kupunzitsa.
—— *By advice or counsel,* Kuweruza.
Instructor, *n.* *An educator or teacher,* Mpunzitsi, apunzitsi.
Instrument, *n.* *A tool whereby work is performed,* Tshipangiza, dzipangiza; tshogwirira, dzogwirira.
—— *A musical instrument,* Tshakuimba, dzakuimba.
—— *An instrument of war,* Uta, (wa) mauta.
Insult, *v. t.* Ku puta; ku tukwana.
Insurrection, *n.* Kupinduka; kuuka, mauko.
—— **To make,** *v. i.* Ku pinduka.
Intangle. (See **Entangle.**)
Integrity, *n.* Nteradi, miteradi.
Intellect, *n.* *Mind,* Muwongo, (wa) mauwongo.
Intellectually, *adv.* Kwamuwongo.
Intelligence, *n.* Nzeru, zinzeru.
Intemperance, *n.* *In spirituous liquors,* Kuledzera.
Intend, *v. i.* *To purpose, to determine in the mind,* Ku yerekeza; ku funa.
Intent, *n.* Ntintu, (la) matintu.
—— *Purpose,* Kuyerekeza, mayerekezo; tshifukwa, zifukwa.
Inter, *v. t.* Ku ika m' mwanda.
Intercede, *v. t.* *To speak or plead for,* Ku letsetsa; ku pembedzera; ku pempa.
—— *To pray for,* Ku pembedzera.
—— *To plead earnestly for, to seek mercy for,* Ku gwirira moyo; ku pempa nsisi.
Interceder, *n.* Wopembedzera, opembedzera; wogwira moyo.
Intercept, *v. t.* *To seize on its way,* Ku letsetsa.
—— *To obstruct in its progress,* Ku tshedwetsa.
Intercession, *n.* *In prayer,* Kupembedzera; kupemperera.
—— *Speaking or pleading for,* Kuletsetsa, maletsetso.
Intercessor, *n.* Woletsetsa, oletsetsa.
Interchange, *v. t.* *To exchange commodities,* Ku gulana; ku sintana.
—— *To interchange places,* Ku sintana malo.
—— *n.* Kusintana.
Intercourse, *n.* *Conversation,* Kulankula.
—— *Commerce,* Kugulana.
Interest, *n.* *Premium paid for the use of money, gain, usury,* Kupindula.
—— *Special attention, regard,* Kumvetsa.
—— *v. t.* *To engage the attention of,* Ku mvetsa.
Interesting, *a.* *Pleasant,* -Omvetsa.
Interlay, *v. t.* *As metal or ivory in wood or stone,* Ku lembalemba.
Intermarry, *v. t.* Ku kwatana.
Internal, *a.* Mkati; -Amkati.
Internally, *adv.* Kwankati; kwamkati.
Interpose, *v. t.* *To step in between parties at variance,* Ku letsetsa; ku lekanitsa.
—— *To obstruct, to interpose a barrier to progress,* Ku tshedwetsa.
Interposition, *n.* Kuletsetsa; kutshedwetsa.
Interpret, *v. t.* Ku sanduliza.
—— *To understand,* Ku dziwitsa; ku sandutsa.
Interpretation, *n.* Kusanduliza; kudziwitsa; kusanduka; kusandukidwa.

Interpreter, *n.* Wosanduliza, osanduliza; wosandutsa, osandutsa.
Interrogate, *v. t.* Ku funsafunsa.
Interrogation, *n.* Kufunsafunsa.
Interrupt, *v. t.* *To interrupt conversation,* Ku lekeza.
—— *To stop progress,* Ku tshedwetsa.
Interruption, *n.* Kulekeza; kutshedwetsa.
Intersect, *v. t.* *To meet and cross each other,* Ku duliza.
Intertwine, / **Intertwist,** *v. t.* Ku kweteza.
Interview, *n.* Kuona; kutsheza.
Intestines, *n.* Tumbo, (la) matumbo.
—— *Small,* Tumbo laling'ono.
—— *Large,* Tumbo lalikuru.
Intimacy, *n.* Kuzolowerana.
Intimate, *a.* -*O*zolowera.
Intimidate, *v. t.* Ku opsa.
Intimidation, *n.* Kuopsa.
Into, *prep.* Mu; m'; mo; mwa.
Intoxicate, *v. t.* Ku ledzeretsa.
Intoxication, *n.* Kuledzera.
Intreat, *v. t.* Ku funsa; ku pempa; ku funa.
—— *To call for,* Ku itana.
Intreated, To be, *v. i.* *To agree to,* Ku bvomereza.
Intricacy, *n.* *Entanglement, as paths in a wood,* Kusokanikira.
—— *Perplexity of mind,* Kuganizaganiza.
Intricate, *a.* -*O*sokanikira.
Introduce, *v. t.* Ku perekeza; ku sonyeza.
Introduction, *n.* Kusonyeza.
Intrust, *v. t.* Ku mvana.
Inure, *v. t.* *To accustom to,* Ku zolowereza.
Invalid, *n.* Wodwala, odwala.
Inventor, *n.* Watintu, atintu.
Invert, *v. t.* Ku tembenuza.
Investigate, *v.* Ku funsira.
—— *To cause to confess, settle,* Ku bvumbulutsa.
Inviolable, *a.* -*O*sasinta.
Invisible, *a.* -*O*saoneka.
Invitation, *n.* Kuitana.
Invite, *v. t.* *To an entertainment or feast,* Ku itana.
Inward, *a.* -*A*mbwalo; -*a*mkati.
—— **Man,** Umzimu.
Inwardly, *adv.* Pakati; mbwalo.
Irksome, *a.* -*O*lema.
Iron, *n.* Tshitsulo; dzitsulo.
—— *v. t.* *As clothes,* Ku ongomali.
Irreversible, *a.* -*O*satembenukika.
Irrigate, *v. t.* Ku balutsa; ku kumba ntshera.
Irrigation, *n.* Kubalutsa; kukumba ntshera.
Irritable, *a.* *To be irritable, to be soon angry,* -*O*kwiira.
Irritate, *v. t.* Ku kwiitsa.
Island, / **Isle,** *n.* Tshisi, dzisi; tshirumba, dzirumba.
Issue, *n.* *Flow,* Kuka.
—— *Offspring,* Mbeu, zimbeu.
—— *A running sore,* Tshiendera mafinya.
It, *pron.* Itshi; u, *etc., according to the concord of noun.*
Itch, *v. i.* Ku abwa.
—— *v. t.* Ku abwitsa; ku nyerenyetsa.
—— *n.* Mpere, zimpere=*Scabies; but also any papular eruption.*
Its, *pron.* -*A*tshi.
Ivory, *n.* Minyanga ya njobvu.

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Jackal, *n.* Mburu, mimburu.
Jackass, *n.* Buru, aburu.
Jackdaw, *n.* Kungubwi, akungubwi; kwangwala, akwangwala.
Jacinth, *n.* Hakinto.
Jacket, *n.* *A short coat or garment,* Jakete, (la) majakete.
Jackscrew, *n.* *An instrument used as a lever,* Tshotukulira, dzotukulira.

Jade, *v. t. To fatigue,* Ku lemetsa.
—— *v. i. To become weary,* Ku lema.
Jaded, *p.p.* -*O*lema.
Jag, *v. t. To notch,* Ku twika.
Jagged, *a. Having notches, cleft,* -*O*sumbudzuka ; -okandikakandika.
Jaggy, *a. Denticulated, uneven,* -*O*kadzukakadzuka.
Jail, *n. Prison,* Nyumba ya ndima.
Jailor, *n.* Ndindo wa nyumba ya ndima.
Jam, *v. t. To squeeze tight,* Ku timbiriza.
—— *n. A converse of fruit,* Jamo, ajamo.
Janitor, *n. Doorkeeper,* Wodikira komo, odikira komo.
Jar, *v. t. To cause to tremble, to shake,* Ku ntuntumiritsa.
—— *n. For water,* Ntsuko, mitsuko ; *larger size,* Mbia, zimbia.
—— *v. i. To clash, to quarrel,* Ku kwia ndi.
Jasper, *n.* Yaspis.
Jaunt, *n. A short journey for pleasure,* Kupita na sewera.
Jaw, *n. Of the mouth, (lower),* Tshibwano, dzibwano.
—— *Upper and lower,* Bauwa, zibauwa.
Jealous, *a.* -*A*nsanje.
Jealously, *adv.* Kwansanje.
Jealousy, *n.* Nsanje.
Jeer, *v. t.* Ku nyoza.
—— *n.* Nyozo, (la) manyozo.
Jehovah, *n.* Yehova.
Jellied, *a.* -*A*tikwitikwi.
Jelly, *n.* Tikwitikwi, zitikwitikwi.
Jeopardy, *n. Hazard, danger, peril,* Madzidzi ; kutsekerezwa.
Jerk, *v. t. To throw or move by a quick effort,* Ku kwatula.
—— *v. i. To start,* Ku dzidzing'ka.
—— *n. A short, sudden thrust,* Kujogoda.
—— *By sudden pull,* Kukonsola.
Jerky, *a. Of unsteady action,* Kotukumula.
Jest, *v. i.* Ku seketsa.
—— *n.* Tshipwete, dzipwete.
Jester, *n. One given to jesting,* Wapwete, apwete.
Jestingly, *adv. Not in earnest,* Kwapwete.
Jet, *n. A waterspout, a sudden rush,* Madzi ankhwenkwe.
—— *v. i. To shoot forward,* Ku pemerera.
Jew, *n.* Myuda, Ayuda.
Jewel, *n.*
Jew's harp, *n.* Tshitsulo tsha kwiimba.
Jingle, *v. i.* Ku lira ; (*sledge bells*) Manjenje.
Jog, *v. t. To push with the elbow or hand so as to call attention,* Ku kodola.
Joggle, *v. t. To shake slightly,* Ku gwedeza.
Join, *v. t. To join together, as the bringing of persons or things together, to associate,* Ku kala anzao.
—— *To join oneself to a company,* Ku dziunjika ; ku dzipatika ; ku mangiriza.
—— *To join in one,* Ku patika ; ku patikiza.
—— *To join two things together so as to lengthen them, as the mast of a ship,* Ku lumikiza.
—— *v. i. As the meeting with another person from different directions,* Ku komana.
Joiner, *n. One who joins woodwork,* Misiri wa mitengo, amisiri a.
Joint, *n. Of a limb,* Mfundo, zimfundo.
—— *v. t. To fit together,* Ku linganizira.
—— *To coalesce, as joints do,* Ku lingana.
Joint-heirs, *n.* Oloa anza (*pron.*)
Jointly, *adv. Unitedly,* Pamodzi.
Joint-partaker, *n.* Wogano -nzao ; oganaanzao.

Joke, *n.* *Jest, witticism,* Tshipwete, dzipwete.
—— *v. t.* *To banter,* Ku seketsa; ku setsa (*coarsely*).
Joker, *n.* Wapwete, apwete.
Jokingly, *adv.* Kwapwete.
Jolly, *a.* *Mirthful, happy,* -*O*sekera.
Jolt, *v. t.* *To shake with sudden jerks,* Ku ntuntumiritsa.
—— *n.* *A shake by a sudden jerk,* Kuntuntumira.
Jostle, *v. t.* *To cause to totter or move unsteadily,* Ku dudulu-za.
—— *To run against and shake,* Ku ntuntumiritsa.
Jot, *n.* *An iota, point, tittle,* Iota.
Journey, *n.* Kuenda; ulendo.
—— *From one place to another,* Ulendo, (wa) maulendo.
—— *v. i.* Ku ng'ka ulendo; ku enda ulendo.
Joy, *n.* Tshimwemwe, dzimwemwe.
—— *v. i.* Ku sekera.
—— *v. t.* Ku sekeretsa.
Joyful, *a.* -*A*tshimwemwe; -*o*sekera.
Joyfully, *adv.* Kosekera.
Joyless, *a.* -*O*panda tshimwemwe.
Joyous, *a.* -*A*tshimwemwe.
Jubilant, *a.* *Shouting with joy,* Ku sekera kolimba.
Judge, *n.* Woweruza, oweruza.
—— *v. t.* Ku weruza.
Judgment, *n.* *Decision,* Kulamula.
—— Kuweruza, maweruzo.
Judgment-day, *n.* Dzua la kuweruza.
—— *Day of sentence or declaration,* Dzua la kulamula.
Judgment-seats, *n.* Amisando.
Judicious, *a.* *Prudent,* -*A*tshisao; -otshenjera.
Judiciously, *adv.* *Prudently,* Kwatshisao; kotshenjera.
Judiciousness, *n.* *Good judgment,* Nzeru.
—— *n.* *Prudence,* Tshisao.
Jug, *n.* *Vessel,* Tshiko, ziko.
—— *Ewer,* Ntsuko, mitsuko.
Juggle, *v. t.* *To deceive by tricks,* Ku zizwitswa.
Juice, *n.* Madzi a.
Jumble, *v. t.* Ku sokaniza.
—— *n.* *Confused mixture,* Kusokaniza.
Jump, *v. i.* *To leap,* Ku lumpa.
—— *To jump as a fish when taken,* Ku pupa.
—— *n.* *A spring, bound,* Kulumpa.
Jumper, *n.* Wolumpa, olumpa.
Junction, *n.* *Union, coalition,* Kulumikizana.
Juncture, *n.* *A point of time, crisis,* Ntawi.
Jungle, *n.* *Impenetrable on account of thorns,* Tshikanga, dzikanga.
—— *Desert, forest,* Mtengo, mitengo; nkalango, zinkalango.
Junior, *a.* *Younger,* -*A*ng'ono.
Jurisdiction, *n.* Malo a kuweruza.
Just, *a.* *Suitable,* -Bwino.
—— *Upright, true, righteous,* -*O*deka; -oona; -anteradi; -ofatsa. *A just man,* Muntu wodeka.
—— *adv.* *Exactly,* Tshointshi; tshotere.
—— **now.** Tsopano lino; tsopano apa.
—— **about.** -Ngo.
Just as if, *adv.* Modzimodzi ngati.
Justice, *n.* *Merited reward or punishment,* Kudeka.
Justifiable, *a.* *Defensible,* -*O*deka.
Justifiably, *adv.* *Rightly,* Kodeka.
Justification, *n.* Kudeketsa.
Justifier, *n.* Wodeketsa, odeketsa.
Justify, *v. t.* Ku deketsa; ku fatsitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku linganiza; ku linganira.

Justle, *v. i. To run against,* Ku ntuntumiritsa.
—— *v. t. To push, to drive,* Ku duduluza.
—— *To encounter,* Ku gundana.
Justly, *adv. Fairly, honestly,* Kodeka.
Justness, *n. Propriety, reasonableness,* Kudeka.
Jut, *v. t. To project,* Ku psyolima.
—— *n. Projection,* Kupsyolima.
Juvenile, *a. Youthful,* -*A*mwana; -*a*nyamata.

K

K has in Chinyanja the sound of *k* in *kite.*
Kafir, *n.* Mungoni, Angoni.
Kafir-corn, *n.* Mapira.
Kafirland, *n. The Kafir country,* Dziko la Angoni.
Kafir-language, *n.* Tshingoni.
Keel of a ship, *n.* Tshatsha, (la) matshatsha; msana wa bote.
Keen, *a. Sharp,* -*A*kutwa. *A sharp knife,* Mpeni wakutwa.
—— *Eager, penetrating,* -*O*tshenjera.
Keenly, *adv.* Kotshenjera.
Keenness, *n.* Kutshenjera.
Keep, *v. t. To detain, to hold,* Ku gwira.
—— *To preserve, to take care of, to contain,* Ku sunga.
—— *To guard,* Ku dikira.
—— *From discovery, or to keep secret,* Ku bisa.
—— *To maintain, to manage,* Ku sunga.
—— *To supply with necessaries, to entertain,* Ku lera.
—— *To supply for sale,* Ku kwana.
—— *To support in one's service,* Ku lera; ku sunga.
—— *To continue in, as a course or mode of action,* Ku kala; ku kalabe.
Keep, *v. t. To observe, to adhere to,* Ku yang'anira; ku sunga.
—— *To practise or perform,* Ku tshita.
—— *To keep or solemnize a feast,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To keep back, reserve, or withhold,* Ku siiza.
—— *v. i. To remain, to abide,* Ku tsala.
—— *To last, endure,* Ku kala.
—— *Keep from, abstain,* Ku leka.
—— *n. Support,* Kulera; kudia; ulesi (*food, rations*).
—— *Stronghold,* Nyumba ya nkondo; linga, (la) malinga.
Keeper, *n. Watcher,* Wakusungira, akusungira.
—— *Guard,* Wakudikira, akudikira.
Keeping, *n. Holding, restraint, custody,* Kusunga; kudikira.
—— *Maintenance,* Kudia.
—— *Conformity with,* Kufana.
Keepsake, *n. A token of friendship,* Tshaulere.
Ken, *n. Knowledge,* Kudziwa.
Kennel, *n. House or cot for dogs,* Kumbi, (la) makumbi.
Kerchief, *n.* Mrenso, mirenso.
Kernel, *n. Seed of pulpy fruit,* Tanga, zintanga.
—— *Nucleus, central part of anything,* Buru, miburu.
Kerosene, *n. Oil,* Mafuta.
Kettle, *n.* Ketele, (la) maketele.
Key, *n.* Fungulu, zifungulu; mfungulo, zimfungulo.
Keyhole, *n.* Una wa mfungulo.
Keystone, *n.* Mwala wogwirizana.
Kick, *v. t. To kick against, to trip,* Ku gunda.
—— *To strike, thrust with the foot,* Ku twakula, ku kang'ka.
—— *To manifest opposition,* Ku kana.
—— *To recoil, as a gun,* Ku bwandula.

Kick, *n.* *A blow with the foot,* Katwakula.
—— *The tang of a pocket-knife,* Ntsukwa, mitsukwa.
—— *The recoil of a musket,* Kubwandula.
Kicker, *n.* *One who kicks,* Wotwakula, otwakula.
Kid, *n.* Mwana wa mbuzi.
Kidnap, *v. t.* *To steal, and to carry away,* Ku ba antu; ku famba.
Kidnapper, *n.* *Manstealer,* watshifamba, atshifamba.
Kidnapping, *n.* Tshifamba.
Kidney, *n.* Sukusana, zisukusana.
Kidney-shaped, *a.* Ofana ndi sukusana.
Kill, *v. t.* *To take life,* Ku pa.
—— *To deaden pain,* Ku peputsa.
—— *To slaughter for food,* Ku pa.
Kiln, *n.* *For burning bricks,* ng'anjo yootshera mabrike.
Kin, *n.* *Relationship, affinity,* Ubali.
—— *Kindred, kinsfolk,* Abali; fuko.
—— *a.* *Akin, of the same nature,* -*O*fana.
Kind, To be, *v. i.* Ku koma.
—— *n.* *Race, genus, class,* Mtundu, mitundu.
—— *Species,* mko, miko; mtundu, mitundu.
—— *n.* *Sort, manner, character,* Makalidwe.
—— *a.* *Tender, good, lenient,* -*O*fatsa; -okoma; -bwino.
Kindhearted, *a.* -*O*koma.
Kindheartedess, *n.* Kukoma ntima; ubwino.
Kindle, *v. t.* *A fire,* Ku atsa.
—— *To kindle strife,* Ku panga ndeu.
—— *v. i.* *To take fire,* Ku kolera.
Kindliness, *n.* *Goodness, gentleness,* Kukoma.
Kindly, *adv.* Kokoma.
Kindness, *n.* *Gentleness of disposition,* Kukoma.
—— *A kind act,* Tshokoma, dzokoma.
Kindred, *n.* Abali.
Kine, *n.* *Cows,* ng'ombe, zing'ombe.
King, *n.* Fumu yotshuka, mafumu otshuka.
Kingdom, *n.* *Territory,* Dziko, (la) maiko.
—— *Subjects,* Mbumba.
Kingfisher, *n.* Zunzi.
Kingship, *n.* Ufumu.
Kinsfolk, *n.* Abali.
Kinship, *n.* Ubali.
Kinsman, *n.* Mbali (wanga) wamamuna.
Kinswoman, *n.* Mbali (wanga) wankazi.
Kiss, *n.* Kumsomsona.
—— *v. t.* Ku msomsona.
Kit, *n.* *A vessel.* Tshiwira, dziwira.
—— *A workman's basket of or for tools,* Tumba la *or* ntanga wa dzipangizo.
Kite, *n.* *A bird,* Kabawi, akabawi.
Kitten, *n.* Mwana wa mpaka, ana a mpaka.
Knack, *n.* *Readiness or dexterity,* Nzeru; tshangu.
Knacky, *a.* *Skilful,* -*A*tshangu.
Knead, *v. t.* *As dough for bread,* Ku omba.
—— *As clay for bricks,* Ku kanyanga; ku ponda.
Knee, *n.* Bondo, (la) maondo *and* mondo.
Knee-deep, *a.* Ku fika kwa bondo.
Knee-joint, *n.* Fundo ya bondo, zimfundo.
Kneel, *v. i.* Ku gwada.
Knee-pan, *n.* Mphande, zimphande.
Knife, *n.* Mpeni, mipeni.
—— *Big, heavy knife for cutting sugar-cane,* Tshisenga, dzisenga.
Knit, *v. t.* *To form into a knot or knots,* Ku lunzalunza, ku vunyavunya.
—— *To interloop,* Ku luka.
—— *To cause to grow together,* Ku komanitsa.

Knit, *v. t. To unite closely,* Ku gwirizana.
—— *To contract, as the brows,* Ku tsinya.
—— *v. i. To unite or weave anything by making knots,* Ku lu ka.
Knitting, *n. That woven, texture,* Kuluka.
Knob, *n. Of a walking stick,* Mutu, mitu.
—— *A hard protuberance on any smooth surface, as a knot in wood,* Tshipudu, dzipudu.
—— *Of door,* Tshogwirira tshitseko.
Knock, *v. i. As at a door,* Ku gogoda.
—— *To strike or drive against,* Ku puntwa (*of foot*).
—— *v. t. To knock down, to fell,* Ku gwetsa.
—— *To strike for admittance,* Ku gogoda.
—— *n. A stroke with something heavy,* Kukoma.
Knocking, *n. A beating, a rap,* Kugogoda.
Knoll, *n. A little round hill,* Mulu, miulu (*as of ants*).
Knot, *n.* Nkonyo, zinkonyo; mfundo, zimfundo.
—— *v. t. To form a knot,* Ku lunza.
Knotted, *a. Gnarled,* -Okakalala.
Knottiness, *n. Fulness of knots,* Kukakalala.
Knotty, *a. Difficult,* -Olimba.
Know, *v. t. To make known,* Ku dziwitsa.
Know of, *v. i. To possess knowledge, information,* Ku dziwa.
Knowing, *a. Skilful, well-informed,* -Odziwa; -anzeru.
Knowingly, *adv. Deliberately,* Kodziwa; kodziwitsa.
Knowledge, *n.* Kudziwa.
—— *Prudence, experience,* Tshisao.
—— *To have knowledge of a thing or subject,* Kudziwa.
Known, To make, *v. t.* Ku dziwitsa.
Knuckle, *n. The joint of a finger,* Fundo ya tshala.
Koodoo, *n.* Kudu.
Kraal, *n. A native village,* Mudzi, midzi.
—— *A fold for cattle or sheep,* Kola, (la) makola.

L

L has in Chinyanja the sound of *l* in *let*. In Chinyanja words, the letters *r* and *l* are almost always interchangeable. The Ajawa, who are the neighbours of the Anyanja, can neither say *r* nor *l*, but a sound which is really a combination of the sounds of both letters. Those Anyanja who have been brought up in the vicinity of an Ajawa village, have often the same peculiarity. In the verb *ku li*, to be, always, and often in other cases when *l* follows *i*, it is changed into *r*, thus *dili pano*, I am here, becomes *diri pano*.
Label, *n. Of a bottle,* Karata la dzina.
Laborious, *a. Toilsome,* -Antshito.
Laboriously, *adv. With toil or difficulty,* Kwantshito.
Labour, *n. Work,* Ntshito, zintshito.
—— *v. t. To work,* Ku tshita; ku gwira ntshito.
—— *As a vessel in a storm,* Ku lemedwa.
—— *To toil uselessly,* Ku tshitadala.
—— *Exertion of muscular strength,* Ntshito, zintshito.
Labourer, *n.* Wotshita, otshita.
Lacerate, *v. t. To tear, to rend, as the flesh,* Ku lasa.
—— *v. i. To injure or afflict the heart,* Ku patsa nloni.

Lacerated, *a.* *Rent, torn,* -*O*lasidwa *and* -olasibwa.
Laceration, *n.* *Tearing or rending,* Kulasa ; kung'amba.
Lack, *v. i.* Ku sauka.
—— *v. t.* *To want, be destitute of,* Ku panda ; ku soa *and* sowa ; ku libe.
—— *n.* *Want, destitution, need, failure,* Kusauka ; kusoa ; kupanda.
Lacking, *n.* -*O*sowa ; -*a*kusowedwa.
—— *v. i.* Ku sowedwa.
Laconical, *a.* *Brief, concise,* -*O*finimpitsa.
Laconically, *adv.* *Briefly,* Kofinimpitsa.
Lad, *n.* *Boy, young man,* Nzombwe, azombwe ; nyamata, anyamata.
Ladder, *n.* Tshokwelera, dzokwelera.
Lade, *v. t.* *To burden,* Ku patikiza ; ku senza.
—— *To dip, as water,* Ku tunga.
—— *To lade out,* Ku gawa.
—— *n.* *Passage of water, water-course,* Ntshera, mitshera.
Lading, *n.* Katundu, akatundu.
Ladle, *n.* Tshipande, dzipande.
Lady, *n.* Fumu-yeikazi.
—— *Young lady,* Namwali, anamwali. *Princess,* Mwana wafumu wankazi.
Ladyship, *n.* Ufumuwokazi.
Lag, *v. i.* *To linger, delay,* Ku tshedwa.
Lagoon, *n.* *Still reach of water at the mouth of a river near the sea, with a sand-bar preventing its entering the sea,* Tamanda, (la) matamanda.
Lair, *n.* *Bed or couch of a wild beast,* Msanjo, misanjo ; malo ; panga, (la) mapanga.
Lake, *n.* Nyanja, zinyanja.
Lamb, *n.* Mwana wa nkosa, ana a nkosa.
Lame, *v. t.* *To make lame, to cripple, to disable,* Ku pundukitsa ; ku pundutsa.
—— *a.* *Crippled, disabled,* -*O*punduka miendo, muendo.
—— *Imperfect, not satisfactory,* -*O*ipa.
—— *v. i.* *To become lame,* Ku punduka miendo.
—— *n.* *A lame person,* Muntu wopunduka miendo, muendo.
Lamely, *adv.* Kopunduka.
Lameness, *n.* Kupunduka kwa muendo.
Lament, *v. i.* Ku pfula ; ku lilira.
Lamentable, *a.* *Sorrowful, pitiful,* -*A*soni.
Lamentably, *adv.* *Pitifully,* Kwasoni.
Lamentation, *n.* *For dead,* Maliro.
Lamp, *n.* Nyali, zinyali ; muni, miuni.
Lance, *v. t.* *To cut open, as an abscess,* Ku tumbula.
—— *To pierce with a lance,* Ku lasa ; ku bola.
—— *n.* *A spear,* Ntungo, zintungo.
Lancet, *n.* *A surgical instrument,* Kampeni.
Land, *n.* *The solid ground,* Ntunda, mitunda.
—— *Soil,* Ntaka, zintaka.
—— *Country,* Dziko, (la) maiko.
—— *Cultivated lands,* Munda minda.
—— *v. t.* *To set on shore, to disembark, as cargo,* Ku kotsheza ; ku sulira.
—— *To disembark,* Ku gwira ntunda ; ku kotsheza ; ku sulira.
Landing, *n.* *The process of unloading cargo,* Kukotsheza ; kusulira.
—— *Going or setting on shore,* Kukotsheza ; kusulira.
Landing-place, *n.* Doko, (la) madoko.

Landmark, *n.* *A mark to show a boundary,* Mwala *or* ntengo *or* ntsinje *-a*maliri.
Landscape, *n.* *That portion of land which the eye comprehends at a single view,* Dzikolooneka.
Land slide *or* **slip,** *n.* Kwawa, (la) makwawa.
Lane, *n.* *A narrow way or passage,* Mphakano, zimphakano.
Language, *n.* Kulankula (kwa); liu, (la) maliu.
Languid, *a.* *Weak,* *-O*foka. *To become dull, languid, and spiritless,* Ku kala -olesi.
Languidly, *adv.* Kofoka.
Languish, *v. i.* Ku foka.
Languor, *n.* *Weakness,* Kufoka.
—— *Dullness, listlessness,* Ulesi.
Lank, *a.* *Loose or lax, not plump,* *-O*onda.
Lanky, *a.* *Somewhat slender, slim,* *-O*saua.
—— *v. i.* *To be lanky,* Ku saua.
Lantern, *n.* Nyali, zinyali.
Lap, *v. i.* *As a dog,* Ku nyambita; ku mwa.
—— *v. t.* *To fold, bend, or lay over,* Ku pinda.
—— *n.* Kumwa.
—— *The lap of a board, an edge,* Tshivundikilo, dzivundikilo.
Lapse, *n.* *A gliding, slipping, or gradual falling,* Kubwerera.
Lard, *n.* Mafuta a nguruwe.
Large, *a.* -Kulu. *A large river,* Ntsinje woukuru. *A large house,* Nyumba yeikuru.
Large-hearted, *a.* *Liberal, generous,* *-O*saumira; -okoma ntima.
Large-heartedness, *n.* Kukoma ntima.
Largely, *adv.* Kwakulu.
Largeness, *n.* Ukulu.
Lark, *n.* *A bird,* Larke, (la) malarke.
—— *A sport, fun,* Tshipwete, dzipwete.
Larynx, *n.* (*and* **Throat**). Womero, mimero.
Lascivious, *a.* *Wanton, lustful,* *-A*tshigololo; *-a*dama; *-o*funa tshigololo.
Lasciviousness, *n.* Tshigololo; mafuno tshigololo; kukondedwa kwa tshigololo.
Lash, *v. i.* *To strike with the whip,* Ku kwapula.
—— *n.* Tshikoti, dzikoti.
Lass, *n.* Mwanawankazi; namwali, anamwali.
Lassitude, *n.* Kufoka.
Last, *a.* *In order of time,* *-O*mariza; *-a*kutsiriza.
—— **night.** Usiku.
—— **week.** Wiki lapita.
—— **month.** Mwezi wafa.
—— **year.** Tshaka tshapita; tshaka tshafa.
—— *The utmost,* *-A*kutungo.
Lastly, *adv.* Kwakutungo.
Later. (*Of time*), Ntawi ya pambuiu, ntawi za pambuiu.
Lather, *n.* Pobvu, (la) mapobvu.
Laud, *v. t.* Ku tama.
Laudation, *n.* Kutama.
Laugh, *v. i.* Ku seka.
—— *To laugh to scorn,* Ku nyodola.
—— **Laughing,** } *n.* Kuseka.
Laughingly, *adv.* Koseka.
Laughing-stock, *n.* Wosekedwa, osekedwa.
Launch, *v. t.* *To launch a boat,* Ku gwetsa.
—— *To push off,* Ku kang'ka.
Lavish, *v. t.* *To expend profusely,* Ku patsa kwaulere.
Lavishly, *adv.* Kwaulere.
Lavishness, *n.* Ulere.
Law, *n.* *Custom of a people,* Mwambi, miambi; mau.
—— *To go to law,* Ku enda ndi mrandu.
Lawful, *a.* *-A*mau.
Lawfully, *adv.* Kwamau.
Lawless, *a.* *-O*samveka mau.
Lawlessly, *adv.* Kosali kwamau.

Lawlessness, *n.* Kusamveka mau ; kusamvera mau.
Lawsuit, *n.* Mrandu, mirandu.
Lawyer, *n.* Nkoswe, ankoswe.
Lax, *a.* *Not tense, loose,* -*O*samangidwa.
Laxity, *n.* *Looseness of texture,* Kusaombetsa.
—— *Want of exactness or precision,* Kusadziwitsa.
Laxly, *adv.* *Loosely,* Kosamanga ; kosasunga.
Lay, *v. t.* *To lay a thing down,* Ku ika *or* ku ika pansi.
—— *To lay things in order by separating one from another, to arrange,* Ku dandalitsa *and* ku ndandalitsa.
—— *Above or on the top,* Ku patakiza.
—— *To lay by, to accumulate by saving,* Ku kumbula.
—— *To lay by the profits of trade,* Ku ika.
—— *To lay by wealth or property,* Ku sunga zolemera.
—— *To lay siege to a place,* Ku tsekereza.
—— *To lay a wager,* Ku imikira.
—— *To lay a snare,* Ku tshèra kwekwe.
—— *To lay hold of or seize,* Ku gwira.
—— *To lay hold of for support,* Ku fumbata.
—— *To lay a charge against,* Ku tshula.
—— *To lay waste,* Ku sakaza.
—— *To lay a plot,* Ku panga kunji.
—— *To lay claim to,* Ku tshimikiza.
—— *To lay eggs,* Ku ikira.
—— *To allay, to quiet,* Ku tontoza.
—— *To lay up a store, as bees,* Ku ikira.
—— *On of hands,* Ku ika manja.
—— *Aside to,* Ku ika pansi.
—— *Out an anchor,* Ku turutsa ; ku turutsa *nangula.*
Lazily, *adv.* Kwaulesi.
Laziness, *n.* Ulesi.
Lazy, *a.* -*A*ulesi.
—— *To be lazy, inert,* Ku kala -*a*ulesi.
Leach, *v. t.* *To wash, as ashes, by percolation,* Ku tsheza.
—— *v. i.* *To pass through by percolation,* Ku tsheza.
Lead, *v. t.* *To guide by the hand,* Ku tsogoza.
—— *To lead by a rope or thong, as a horse by the side of the rider of another horse,* Ku koka.
—— *To lead by going before,* Ku tsogolera.
—— *To conduct to any place,* Ku tsogolera.
—— *To guide, to show how to obtain an object,* Ku sonyeza.
—— *To lead astray,* Ku sotshereza.
—— *To lead captive, as in war,* Ku tenga mkoli ; ku gwira nkole.
—— **about, To.** Ku tsogoza.
—— *An army,* Ku tsogolera.
—— *In song,* Ku tsheula.
—— *n.* *Precedence, guidance,* Kutsogola.
—— *Mineral,* Ntobvu, mitobvu.
Leaded, *a.* *Fitted with lead,* -*O*fotokozedwa ndi ntobvu.
Leaden, *a.* *As a ball,* -*A*ntobvu.
—— *Heavy, dull,* -*O*lemera ; -olema.
Leader, *n.* *A conductor,* Wotsogolera, otsogolera ; tsatsogolo, mtsatsogolo, atsatsogolo.
—— *A chief, a captain,* Kazembe, akazembe.
Leadership, *n.* Utsogolera.
Leading, *a.* *Principal, most important,* -*O*pambana.
Leaf, *n.* *Of a tree (green),* Samba *and* tsamba, (la) masamba ; dzani, mani.
—— *Leaves covering the stalks of maize, Kafir corn, or sweet cane,* Koko, (la) makoko.
Leafage, *n.* *Abundance of leaves, foliage,* Masamba.

Leafless, *a.* -*O*panda masamba.
Leaflet, *n.* Katsamba, timatsamba.
Leafy, *a.* -*A*masamba.
League, *n.* *Combination, alliance, compact,* Kupangana.
Leak, *v. i.* *To spring a leak so as to let water into or out of a vessel,* Ku tshutsha; ku sweka.
—— *As water through the roof of a house,* Ku ka.
—— *n.* *A crack, crevice, or hole,* Ndala, mindala.
Leakiness, *n.* Kutshutsha.
Leaky, *a.* -*O*tshutsha.
Lean, *v. i.* *To lean against, as for support to the person,* Ku seama.
—— *To lean out of the perpendicular, as if about to fall,* Ku seama.
—— *To lean over towards a place, to support and bring back to the perpendicular,* Ku tshirikiza.
—— *Against, recline, as on a pillow,* Ku tsamira; ku seama.
—— **To be.** Ku onda.
—— *a.* *Wanting flesh,* -*O*onda.
Leanness, *n.* Kuonda.
Leap, *n.* *A jump, spring, or bound,* Kulumpa.
—— *v. i.* *To spring,* Ku lumpa.
—— *v. t.* *To pass over by leaping,* Ku lumpa.
Learn, *v. i.* Ku punzira.
Learned, *a.* *Versed, skilful,* -*O*punziridwa; -*O*punzitsitsa.
Learnedly, *adv.* Kopunziridwa.
Learner, *n.* Wopunzira, opunzira; wakupunzira, akupunzira.
Learning, *n.* Kupunzira.
Least, *adv.* *At least,* Nditu.
Leather, *n.* Tshikopa, dzikopa.
Leave, *v. i.* Ku sia.
—— *To give leave to another,* Ku lola; ku loleza.
—— *To leave off,* Ku leka.
—— *To leave off work without permission,* Ku tsotsa.
Leaven, *n.* Fumba, zifumba.
—— *v. t.* *To excite fermentation,* Ku tupitsa.
Lecture, *v. i.* *To deliver a discourse,* Ku uza.
—— *To reprimand,* Ku sulumula.
—— *To instruct authoritatively,* Ku punzitsa.
—— *n.* *A discourse,* Kuuza.
—— *A reproof,* Kusulumula.
Lecturer, *n.* Wouza, ouza.
Ledge *of rock,* *n.* Tsanja, (la) matsanja.
Lee, *n.* *Shelter,* Kudika.
Leech, *n.* Nsundu, misundu.
Lees, *n.* *Dregs, sediment,* Nsenga, zinsenga.
Leeside, *n.* Kundu lodika.
Left, *a.* *On the left-hand side,* Pa dzanja lamanzere.
Left hand, *n.* Dzanja lamanzere.
—— *A left-handed person,* Muntu wamanzere, antu amanzere.
—— *The left-hand path,* Njira yakutshikazi. *Right-hand path,* Njira yakutshimuna.
Lefthandedness, *n.* Umanzere.
Leg, *n.* Muendo, miendo.
—— *Foreleg of animals,* Muendo wamwamba, miendo ya mwamba.
Legend, *n.* Ntanti, zintanti.
Legislate, *v.* Ku lamula.
Leisure, *n.* *Freedom from haste,* Ntawi yopuma.
Leisurely, *adv.* Kopanda tshangu.
Lend, *v. t.* Ku bwereka.
Length, *n.* Utali; mulitali.
Lengthen, *v. t.* *By stretching,* Ku tulula.
—— *By adding, or fastening one thing to another,* Ku talitsa.
Lengthy, *a.* -*A*tali.
Leopard, *n.* Nialugwi, anialugwi.
Leper, *n.* Wakate, akate.
Leprosy, *n.* Mkate.
Less, *a.* -*A*ng'ono.
Lessen, *v. t.* Ku tshepetsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku tshepa.
Lesson, *n.* Punziro, (la) mapunziro.
Lest, *adv.* Kani.
Let, *v. t.* *To allow,* Ku lola.
—— *To hire, as a house,* Ku bwereka.

Let, *v. t.* *To let alone,* Ku sia.
—— *To hinder, prevent,* Ku letsa ; ku tshedwetsa.
—— *To let go,* Ku leka ; ku masula.
Letter, *n.* *Of the alphabet,* Mlemba, (la) malemba.
—— *An epistle, a written communication,* Epistola, (la) maepistola ; nkarata *and* nkalata, ankarata.
Level, *v. t.* *To remove inequalities of surface,* Ku salaza.
—— *Of ground,* Ku fafaniza.
—— *Of water,* -*O*dika=*calm.*
—— *To be brought low,* Ku tiretsa (*also of bubbles bursting in boiling water*).
Lewd, *n.* *Dissolute, lustful,* -*A*dama ; -*a*tshigololo.
Lewdness, *n.* Dama ; kufuna tshigololo.
Liable, To be, *v. i.* Ku enedwa *and* ku yenedwa.
Liar, *n.* Wonama, onama ; wamabodza, amabodza.
Libel, *v. t.* *To defame,* Ku namiza.
—— *n.* Tshulo, (la) matshulo.
Libellous, *a.* -*A*tshulo.
Liberal, *a.* *Generous,* -*A*ufulu.
Liberality, *n.* Ufulu, kupatsa.
Liberally, *adv.* Koufulu ; kwafúlu *and* kwaufulu.
—— *To give liberally,* Ku patsa kwambiri.
Liberate, *v. t.* *To free,* Ku masula.
—— *To release from bondage,* Ku panga waufulu.
Liberation, *n.* Kupatsa ufulu ; kupanga waufulu.
Liberty, *n.* Ufulu.
Lice, *n.* Nsabwe.
Lick, *v. t.* (*and* **Taste**). Ku seteka.
—— *As a dog a dish,* Ku nyambita.
Lid, *n.* Tshibvundikilo, dzibvundikilo ; tshifundikilo, dzifundikilo.
Lie, *v. i.* *To utter falsehood,* Ku nama ; ku namiza.
Lie, *n.* Bodza, (la) mabodza.
—— *v. i.* *To lie down,* Ku gona.
—— *To lie asleep,* Ku gona tulo.
—— *To recline,* Ku seama.
—— *To lie in wait,* Ku bisalira.
—— *To lie across, as one thing lying athwart another,* Ku kala kopingasa.
—— *To lie carnally with,* Ku gonana ; ku gona pa modzi ; ku gona ndi.
Life, *n.* Moyo, mioyo.
—— *Eternal life,* moyo wosamariza.
Lifeboat, *n.* Bwata wamoyo.
Lifetime, *n.* Moyo watshi.
Lift, *v. t.* Ku tukula.
—— *To lift or take out water,* Ku bvula.
—— *To lift between two or more,* ku tembeta.
—— *To lift oneself up,* Ku ong'goka.
Light, *a.* *In colour,* -*O*yera.
—— *Not heavy,* -*O*pepuka. *My burden is light,* Katundu wanga ali wopepuka.
—— *Easy,* -*O*pepuka.
—— *In opposition to darkness,* Kuwala.
—— *Clear, as the weather,* -*O*kang'ganuka.
—— *n.* *Of the sun, or of any light-giving body,* Kuunika.
—— *Its shining,* Kuwala.
—— *The opposite of darkness,* Kuunika.
—— *v. t.* *To give light, to enlighten,* Ku walitsa.
—— *To enlighten mentally,* Ku dziwitsa.
—— *v. i.* *To grow light,* Ku atsha. *The light is breaking, the morning light has appeared,* Kwatsha ; banda kwatsha.
—— *To light a fire not previously lit, or a lamp,* Ku atsa.
—— *To stir up a fire afresh,* Ku kolera *and* koleza.
—— *To be light in weight,* Ku pepuka.

Light, *v. i.* *To light on, as a bird,* Ku kaka.
—— *To make light of, to ridicule,* Ku pepuza; ku peputsa.
—— *To light upon, to come to,* Ku fika.
—— *Lamp lit or unlit,* Nyali, zinyali.
—— *Burning,* Muni, miuni.
Lighten, *v. i.* *As lightning,* Ku wala; ku walima.
—— *A load,* Ku pepuza; ku peputsa.
Lightly, *adv.* Kopeputsa.
Lightly esteemed, *a.* -Onyozedwa.
Lightness, *n.* *Want of weight,* Kupepuka.
Lightning, *n.* Mpezi, zimpezi.
Like, *v. i.* *To esteem, to have a liking for,* Ku funa; ku funitsa.
—— *a.* Monga; -ofana; -ofanafana. *They are like each other,* Ali ofanafana. *He is like his father,* Ali wofana atatu atshi. *It is like a man,* Tshiri tshofana muntu.
Liken, *v. t.* *To trace a similarity,* Ku faniza.
Likeness, *n.* *Resemblance,* Kufana.
—— *An image, or picture,* Fano, (la) mafano.
—— *Two things exactly alike are called* Modzimodzi.
Likewise, *adv.* *In like manner,* Modzimodzi. *Go and do likewise,* Muka nutshita modzimodzi.
Lily, *n.* *The arum,* Tshiau, dziau.
Limb, *n.* *Of the body,* Tshiwalo, dziwalo.
—— *Of a tree,* Ntambi, zintambi.
Lime, *n.* Miala yootshedwa; nkono zootshedwa.
—— *Bird-lime,* Ulimbo, (wa) maulimbo.
—— *Chewed with tobacco,* Tshikambi.
Limit, *n.* (Liri), maliri.
Limit, *v. t.* *To define,* Ku tshula.
Limp, *v. i.* Ku tshikama.
Limpid, *a.* *Clear,* -Oonekera. *Clear limpid water,* Madzi oonekera.
Line, *n.* *A straight extended mark,* Mfunde, mifunde.
—— *A line or row, as a line of stars in the heavens,* Nzere, mizere.
—— *A boundary line, as in a field or garden,* Maliri. (*Singular not used.*)
—— *Boundary, measuring rod,* Mulinganizo.
—— *A string or cord,* Tshingwe, zingwe.
—— *v.* *To line out,* Ku lemba; ku sonya.
Linen, *n.* Nsaru ya lini.
Linger, *v. i.* Ku tshedwa.
Link, *v. t.* Ku manga.
—— *n.* Kango, (la) makango.
Lion, *n.* Nkango, mikango.
Lioness, *n.* Nkango woukazi *and* wokazi.
Lip, *n.* *The upper lip,* Mlomo, milomo. *Mouth* (Milomo) *is used for lips, including the whole mouth.*
—— *Lying lips,* Milomo yonama.
Lips, *n.* *Mouth,* Milomo.
Lisp, *v. i.* Ku psipsina.
—— *n.* Kupsipsina.
Lisping, *a.* -Opsipsina.
Lispingly, *adv.* Kopsipsina.
Listen, *v. i.* Ku mva.
—— *To listen obediently,* Ku mvera.
Listener, *n.* Wakumva, akumva.
Little, *a.* -Ng'ono.
—— **while** *or* **time.** Ntawi yeing'ono; kantawi.
—— *n.* *A small quantity. The diminutive* ka *is used, as* Kafodia, *a little tobacco.*
Littleness, *n.* Ung'ono.
Live, *v. i.* *To exist,* Ku li ndi moyo.
—— *To be healthy, to prosper in life,* Ku li ndi tshisao.

Live, *v. i.* *To live or reside in a place,* Ku kala.
—— *To live delicately,* Ku dierera. *He lives at Kotakota,* Akala kwa Kotakota. *Where do you live?* Ukala kuti?
Livelihood, *n.* Kudia; moyo watshi.
Liver, *n.* *Of the animal frame,* Mpafa, zimpafa.
Lizard, *n.* Gulo, agulo; buruzi, aburuzi; kwakwa, akwakwa, (*salamander*).
——*Large-sized Nganzi,* minganzi. *Its skin is used for making drums.*
Lo! *interj.* Ona! onatu! onani!
Load, *v. t.* *To place a burden on a man,* Ku senza.
—— *To load a gun,* Ku sopera mfuti.
—— *n.* *A burden,* Katundu, akatundu.
Loaf, *n.* *Of bread,* Nkate, mikate.
Loam, *n.* *Soil,* Ntaka, zintaka.
—— *Red clay soil,* Katondo.
—— *Black alluvial,* Kande.
Loan, *n.* Kubwereka.
Loathe, *v. t.* *To feel disgust at,* Ku nyansidwa.
Loathing, *n.* *Extreme disgust,* Kunyansidwa.
Loathingly, *adv.* Konyansidwa.
Loathsome, *a.* -*O*nyansidwa.
Loathsomeness, *n.* Kunyansa.
Lobe, *n.* *Of the ear,* Tshipe tsha kutu; dzipe dza makutu.
—— *Any projection or division, especially of a rounded form,* Tshara, dzara.
Lobed, *a.* *Having lobes,* -*A*dzara.
Local, *a.* -*A*malo.
Localism, *n.* *Local idiom or phrase,* Mau amalo; mau akwatshi.
Locality, *n.* Malo.
Localization, *n.* Kukala.
Localize, *v. t.* *To assign to a definite place,* Ku ika *or* ku patsa malo.
Locally, *adv.* Kwamalo.
Locate, *v. t.* Ku patsa malo; ku sonyezo malo.
Location, *n.* Malo; kwa*tshi.*
Lock, *n.* *As a key,* Tshitsulo tsha fungulo.
—— *Bolt of lock,* Mpikizo, mipikizo.
—— *v. t.* *To lock the door,* Ku funga tshitseko; ku pikiza tshitseko.
—— *To lock or shut one in,* Ku tsekera.
—— *To close fast,* Ku tseketsa.
—— *To encircle or enclose, to embrace,* Ku fungumira; ku fumbata.
—— *v. i.* *To become fast,* Ku sinda.
—— *n.* *As a fastening together,* Kukoloweka.
—— *A place which is locked up,* Nyumba yotseka.
—— *A grapple in wrestling,* Kulimbana.
—— *A tuft of hair,* Tsisi, matsisi.
Lock *or* **locked jaw,** *n.* Kuluma mano.
Locust, *n.* Dzombe, (la) madzombe:
Lode, *n.* *A metallic vein,* Ntapo, mitapo.
—— *A cut or reach of water,* Mtshera, mitshera.
Lodge, *v. i.* *To dwell or stay for the night,* Ku sotsa.
—— *To afford, furnish, provide a temporary habitation,* Ku patsa malo; ku gona.
—— *To lodge, to entertain,* Ku kalitsa.
—— *n.* *A place of shelter, refuge, retreat,* Linga, (la) malinga.
—— *or* **lodgment,** *n.* Pokala; mokala.
Lodger, *n.* Wobwereka malo, obwereka malo.
Lodging, *n.* Pokala; mokala.
Loft, *n.* *Floor or room placed above another,* Tshipinda tshamwamba.
—— *Store built on poles for grain,* Nkokwe, zinkokwe.

Loftily, *adv.* *Haughtily,* Kodzitama.
Loftiness, *n.* *Elevation,* Utali; kumwamba.
Lofty, *a.* *High, elevated,* -*A*pamwamba.
—— *Haughty or proud,* -*O*dzitama.
—— *Tall,* -*A*utali; -otali.
Log, *n.* *Of wood,* Kulungu, (la) makulungu.
Log-cabin, *n.* (*and* **house, hut**). Mphando, zimphando.
Loggerhead, *n.* *Blockhead, dolt,* Tshitsiru, zitsiru.
Logical, *a.* *Discriminating, thinking,* -*O*tshenjera.
Loin, *n.* *That part of an animal just above the hip,* Mtshuuno, dzuuno; mtshuunu, dzuunu. *Sometimes heard,* Mtshuno.
Loins, *n.* *Corresponding part of the human body,* Mtshuno.
Loiter, *v. i.* *To linger, delay,* Ku tshedwa; ku tshedwadala.
Loiterer, *n.* *One who lingers, an idler,* Wotshedwa, otshedwa.
Loiteringly, *adv.* *In a slow manner,* Kotshedwa.
Loll, *v. i.* *To act indolently, or to lie at ease,* Ku gona *or* ku kala tshabe.
—— *As the tongue of a dog when heated with exertion,* Ku turutsa lilume.
Lone, *a.* *Solitary,* -Eka; -osiidwa.
—— *Standing by itself, single, as a house,* -Eka.
Loneliness, *n.* *Solitude, seclusion,* Kusiidwa.
Lonely, *a.* *Retired, forsaken,* -*O*siidwa.
Long, *a.* *Long time,* Ntawi yeitali.
—— *Extended length,* -Tali.
—— *Slow in coming,* Ntawi yambiri.
—— *Tedious,* -Tali.
—— *Continued, continuous,* -*O*kalabe.
Long, *adv.* *Time ago,* -Akali.
—— *Way off,* Kutali.
—— *v. i.* *To long for, desire earnestly for,* Ku funitsa.
Long-bow, *n.* Uta, (wa) mauta; uta wautali.
Longevity, *n.* *Length or duration of life,* Utali wa moyo.
Long-sighted, *a.* *Able to see at a great distance,* -*O*yang'anitsa.
—— *Sagacious, far-seeing,* -*O*tshenjera.
Long-sightedness, *n.* Kuyang'anitsa; kutshenjera.
Long-sufferance, *n.* *Forbearance to punish, patience,* Kumva kutali.
Long-suffering, *a.* *Bearing provocation,* -*O*lekereza.
Long-tongued, *a.* *Loquacious, babbling,* -*A*nkamwa.
Long-ways, Longwise, *adv.* Kwamutali.
Long-winded, *a.* *Tedious in speaking,* -*O*samezamate.
Look, *v. i.* *To see,* Ku penya.
—— *To direct the eye towards an object,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To consider, examine, look attentively to,* Ku yang'anitsa.
—— *To look for or after, to search for,* Ku yang'anira; ku funa.
—— *To look through, to penetrate, to solve a mystery,* Ku yang'anitsa.
—— *To look about, on every side, to watch,* Ku dikira.
—— *To look on or at, to inspect closely, to observe narrowly,* Ku yang'anitsa.
—— *To seem, to appear,* Ku onedwa.
—— *To face, to front,* Ku yang'ana nkope ndi nkope.
—— *To await the appearance of anything, to expect,* Ku yang'anira.

Look, *v. t. To influence or subdue by looks,* Ku yang'anitsa.
—— *To express or manifest by a look,* Ku pekula.
—— *To look in the face or meet with boldness,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To look, to search for, choose, select,* Ku sang'kula.
—— *To look up, to search for it and find it,* Ku funa.
—— *To look sideways at some person or thing,* Ku unguza.
—— *n. Cast of countenance, aspect,* Nkope, zinkope.
—— *The act of looking or seeing,* Kuona.
—— *View, watch,* Kuyang'anira.
—— *interj.* (*Imper.*), *See! Behold!* Ona! onatu! onani!
Looker-on, *n. A mere spectator,* Woyang'anira, oyang'anira.
Looking, *n. Search or searching,* Kufuna.
Looking for, *n. Anticipation, expectation,* Kuyang'anira.
Looking-glass, *n. Mirror,* Karirole, akarirole.
Look-out, *n. A careful watching for any object or event,* Kuyang'anira malole.
—— *Place of such observation,* Malo a malole.
—— *The one engaged in watching,* Woyang'anira, oyang'anira.
—— *A scout,* Womalole, omalole.
Loom, *n.* Ntanda wa nsaru, mitanda ya nsaru.
—— *v. i. To appear larger than the real dimensions,* Ku lemerera.
Looming, *n.* (*See* **Mirage.**)
Loop, *n. Eye of a thong,* Kango, (la) makango.
—— *v. t. Up, to fasten or secure by a loop,* Ku vungiza.
Loophole, *n. A small, narrow opening,* Tshiteiera, dziterera.
Loose, Loosen, *v. t. To untie, unbind,* Ku masula.
—— *To release from bondage,* Ku patsa ufulu; ku panga waufulu.
—— *To relax,* Ku leka pang'ono.
—— *To undo, unlock, open a door,* Ku tsegula.
—— *By unlocking,* Ku funga.
—— *v. i. To set sail, to leave a port or harbour,* Ku patshika matanga.
—— *a. Unbound, untied,* -Omasulidwa.
—— *Free from obligation,* -Omasuka.
—— *Not tight or close, as a garment,* -Osagwira tupi.
—— *Not compact,* -Olekana.
—— *Not dense, close, as a cloth,* -Osaombetsa.
—— *Not strict or rigid,* -Atshabe.
—— *Not costive, having lax bowels,* -Onyetsa.
— *Unrestrained in behaviour,* -Oipa; -opambanuzo.
Loosely, *adv. Not fast, not firmly,* Komasula.
—— *Without confinement, free,* Komasuka.
—— *Without order, union, or connection,* Kosandandalika.
—— *Unchastely,* Kwadama.
—— *Negligently, carelessly, heedlessly,* Kosasamala.
Loosen, *v. t. To loosen a fixture by swaying it to and fro,* Ku tshukutsha.
—— *To disentangle, as a string,* Ku tombosola.
Looseness, *n. Of a cord,* Kumasuka.
—— *Of the skin,* Kunyanyamuka.
—— *Of earth,* Kulakatika.
—— *Of morals or principles,* Kuuma maso.
—— *Of life,* Kupanduka.
—— *Of the bowels,* Kunyetsa kwa matumbo.
Lop, *v. t. To cut off,* Ku paza.
—— *To let fall, as a horse lops his ears,* Ku gwetsa makutu.

Lop *or* **lopping,** *n. A cutting off, as of branches,* Kupaza.
Lop-sided, *a. Heavier on one side than the other,* -Opendama.
Loquacious, *a. Talkative,* -Ankamwa.
Loquaciously, *adv.* Kwankamwa.
Loquaciousness, *n. Loquacity,* Kulongolola.
Lord, *n. One possessing authority, a ruler, governor,* Mwini, eni.
—— *A master, superior, prince, chief,* Mbuie *and* mbuye, ambuye *and* ambuie.
—— *The Supreme Being, Jehovah,* YEHOVA MWINI.
—— *The Lord Jesus Christ,* MWINI YESU KRISTU.
—— *v. i. To lord it over another, to domineer,* Ku tundumiza.
Lordliness, *n. Dignity, high station,* Umwini.
—— *Pride, haughtiness,* Kudzitama.
Lordly, *adv. Nobly, in a lordly manner,* -Aufumu.
—— *Imperiously, proudly,* Kodzitama.
Lordship, *n. Dominion, power, authority,* Umwini; mwanu.
—— *v. To exercise lordship, to domineer over,* Ku weruza; ku tundumiza.
Lore, *n. That which is taught, instruction, wisdom,* Kudziwa; nzeru.
Loricate, *v. t. To plate over, to cover with plastering,* Ku mata.
—— *n. One of an order of reptiles,* Gaka, (la) magaka.
Lorn, *a. Forsaken, lonely,* -Osiidwa. (*See* **Forlorn.**)
Lorrie *or* **Lorry,** *n. A small cart or waggon,* Gareta, (la) magareta.
Losable, *a. Liable to be lost,* -Omwazika.
Lose, *v. t. To cause to part with unwillingly,* Ku mwaza.
—— *As a book,* Ku mwazika; ku taiika.
Lose, *v. t. To forfeit,* Ku imika.
—— *By unsuccessful contest,* Ku tsika.
—— *To lose a battle,* Ku li -opanda mpamvu.
—— *To lose favour,* Ku taia ku anjwa.
—— *To part with, to be deprived of,* Ku landidwa.
—— *Opposed to keep, to lose one's life or honour,* Ku mwaza moyo; ku taia ulemu.
—— *To throw away, to waste,* Ku taia, ku mwaza.
—— *To wander from or miss the way,* Ku sotshera.
—— *To perplex or bewilder,* Ku sokaniza.
—— *To ruin, to destroy,* Ku mwaza.
—— *v. i. To forfeit, not to win,* Ku mwaza; ku taia.
Loser, *n. One who suffers by loss,* Woononjeka, oononjeka; wotaia, otaia.
Loss, *n. Failure, as of harvest,* Ku ononjeka kwa (*dzintu*).
—— *Destruction,* Ku mwaza; ku taia.
—— *Privation,* Kusoa.
—— *To bear a loss,* Ku mva kuononjeka, *as of crops, canoes, etc.*
Lost, *a. As a sheep,* -Osotsherezwa.
—— *Forfeited,* -Oimikidwa.
—— *Deprived of,* -Otshotsedwa.
—— *Wasted, squandered,* -Osakazidwa.
—— *Perplexed, bewildered,* -Osokanikira.
—— *Ruined, destroyed,* -Opasulidwa.
—— *Insensible* (*to shame*), -Opanda manyazi.
—— *Not visible, as in a fog or a crowd,* -Osaonekera, -otaiikidwa.
Lot, *n. Portion,* Kugawa.
—— *Of to cast lots,* Kuyesa.
Lotion, *n. A liquid preparation for washing a sore,* Mankwala amadzi.

Lots, *v.* *To cast,* Ku yesa.
Loud, *a.* *A loud noise, as of many voices,* Pokoso lambiri *or* lalikuru.
—— *A loud voice,* Liu lalikuru.
—— *n.* *A loud call to another,* Kupfula.
—— *A loud cry, as of one in distress,* Kupfula.
—— *A loud emphatic announcement or call to duty,* Kuuza.
—— *A loud noise, as of thunder,* Bingu; *such as that preceding an earthquake,* Kulirima.
Loudly, *adv.* *Noisily,* Kwapokoso *and* kopokosa.
Lounge, *v. i.* *To spend time lazily,* Ku kala tshabe; ku kala dala.
—— *n.* *A small sofa,* Kakama; tiakama.
Lounger, *n.* *An idler,* Wolesi, olesi.
Louse, *n.* Nsabwe, zinsabwe.
Lovable, *a.* *Worthy of love,* -*O*kondeka; -ozolowereka.
Love, *n.* *Affection,* Kukonda.
—— *Fondness, devotion* (*love of home, etc.*), Kuzolowera.
—— *The object of affection,* Wokondedwa, okondedwa.
—— *Moral good will, benevolence,* Kukoma.
—— *v. t.* Ku konda.
—— *To be pleased or delighted with,* Ku sekera ndi.
Lovely, *a.* *Charming,* -*O*kongola.
—— *adv.* *In a manner to please,* Kosekera.
Lover, *n.* *One who loves, a friend,* Wokonda, okonda.
Loving, *a.* *Affectionate,* -*A*kukonda; *better* -okonda.
Loving-kindness, *n.* Kukonda.
Lovingly, *adv.* Kokonda.
Low, *a.* *In relative position to other things,* -*A*pansi.
—— *In condition,* -*O*sauka; -*a*tshabe.
—— *Near the horizon,* Pansi.
—— *Depressed in spirits,* -*A*usoni.
Low, *a.* *Humble,* -*O*sadzitama.
—— *As a low pulse,* -Ng'ono.
—— *As a low tone of voice,* -*O*nyinyidza.
—— *v. t.* *To bellow as an ox or cow,* Ku gamba.
Lower, *v. t.* *To cause to descend,* Ku tsitsa.
—— *To humble,* Ku tshepetsa.
—— *To reduce in value,* Ku tshepetsa *and* ku finimpitsa ntengo.
—— *v. i.* *To fall, to sink,* Ku gwa; ku bira.
—— *To decrease,* Ku tshepetsa.
—— *To threaten gloom,* Ku lendama.
Lowering, To be, *v. i.* Ku tumbirira.
Loweringly, *adv.* *Threatening gloom,* Kolendama.
Lowermost, *a.* *Lowest of all,* Pansi pa onse.
Lowing, *n.* *Of cattle,* Kugamba kwa ng'ombe.
Lowliness, *n.* *Humility,* Kusadzitama.
—— *Grace,* Kufatsa.
Lowly, *a.* *Not elevated in place,* -*A*pansi.
—— *Humble,* -*O*sadzitama.
Lowness, *n.* *As of ground,* Pansi; dambo.
—— *Of condition,* -*A*tshabe (antu atshabe, *plebs*).
—— *Of mind or character,* Kwaipa.
Low-spirited, *a.* *Depressed,* -*A*soni.
Loyal, *a.* *Faithful to the lawful government,* Atshirimbi.
Loyally, *adv.* Kwatshirimbi; kwaulimbi.
Loyalty, *n.* *Fidelity to a superior,* Tshirimbi; ulimbi.
Lubricant, *n.* *As oil which lubricates,* Mafuta.
Lubricate, *v. t.* *To make smooth,* Ku dzosa mafuta.
Lubrication, *n.* Kudzosa.
Lucent, *a.* *Shining, bright,* -*O*wala.
Lucid, *a.* *Shining, bright,* -*O*ona; -oyera.

Lucid, *a. Clear, transparent,* -*O*onekera.
Lucidity, *n. Clearness,* Kuyera; kuyera kwa kulankula.
Lucidly, *adv. Clearly,* Koonekera.
Luck, *n. Good,* Mwai; -anzimu.
—— *Bad,* Tsoka.
Luckily, *adv.* Kwamwai.
Luckiness, *n. Good fortune,* Mwai.
Luckless, *a. Unfortunate,* -*A*tsoka.
Lucrative, *a. Profitable,* -*O*pindula.
Lucre, *n. Gain in goods or money, profit,* Kupindula.
—— *Money,* Ndrama.
Ludicrous, *a. Laughable, ridiculous,* -*O*pusa.
Ludicrously, *adv.* Kopusa.
Lug, *v. t. To pull with force, to drag,* Ku koka.
Luggage, *n. Anything cumbrous and heavy,* Kulemera, zolemera.
—— *Baggage,* Akatundu.
Lukewarm, *a. Neither cold nor hot, tepid,* -*O*funda.
—— *Not zealous, indifferent,* -*O*tso nyatsonya.
Lukewarmly, *adv.* Kotsonya.
Lukewarmness, *n. Indifference,* Kutsonyatsonya.
Lull, *v. t. To lull to sleep, to compose,* Ku gonetsa; ku susuza.
—— *To put off one's guard,* Ku iwaza.
—— *v. i. To subside, as the wind or the storm,* Ku leka; ku kala bata.
—— *To become calm,* Ku kala bata.
—— *n. A season of temporary quiet,* Masiku opanda nkondo.
Lullaby, *n. That which quiets or soothes,* Tshingoli, dzingoli.
Lumber, *n. Things thrown aside as of no use,* Tshirombo, dzirombo.
—— *v. t. To heap together in disorder,* Ku unjika.
—— *v. i. To move heavily,* Ku enda kolema; ku enda kolemedwa.
Luminary, *n. Especially one of the heavenly bodies,* Muni, miuni.
Luminiferous, *a. Producing light,* -*O*wala.
Luminous, *a. Shining, bright,* -*O*wala, -oyera.
Lump, *n. Small protuberance in the flesh,* Kalimbwi, akalimbwi.
—— *Of earth,* Buma, (la) mauma *and* mabuma.
—— *Big lump,* Tshibuma, dzibuma.
—— *About finger or toe, as a festering about nail,* Kapolo, akapolo; fundo, (la) mafundo.
—— *A small mass of matter, as in porridge,* Mburu, miburu.
—— *A mass of things thrown together, as an ash-heap,* Dzala, madzala.
—— *v. t. To throw into a mass,* Ku tengera pamodzi; ku song'kaniza.
Lumpy, *a. Full of lumps or small compact masses,* -*A*miburu.
Lunacy, *n.* Misala.
Lunatic, *n.* Wamisala, amisala.
Lunch, *n. Luncheon,* Kusadietsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku sadietsa.
Lung, Lungs, *n.* Pupu, (la) mapupu.
Lurch, *n. A sudden roll of a ship to one side,* Kutshikuka.
—— *v. i. As a ship in a heavy sea,* Ku tshikuka.
Lurid, *a. Gloomy, dismal,* -*O*gu dumira.
Lurk, *v. i. To lie hid with predatory intentions,* Ku dika.
—— *To lie privily in wait for another,* Ku bisalira.
Lurker, *n.* Wobisalira, obisalira.
Lurking-place, *n.* Malo obisalira.
Lust, *v. i. Desire,* Ku funitsa.
—— *Desire unlawfully,* Ku funa dama; ku funa tshigololo.
—— *n. A longing desire,* Kufunitsa, mafunitso.
—— *Unlawful desire,* Kufuna kwa dama; kufuna kwa tshigololo.

Lustiness, *n.* *Vigour of body,* Mpamvu, zimpamvu; tshisao, dzisao.
Lustre, *n.* *Splendour, brilliancy,* (*of sun*), Kuwala; (*of metals*), kung'azimira.
Lustreless, *a.* -*O*sang'azimira.
Luxuriance, *n.* *Over-abundant exuberance,* Kukondwa.
Luxuriant, } *a.* *Abundant,* -*O*ko-
Luxurious, } ndwa, -otshuruka.
Luxuries, *n.* Zabwino.
Luxuriously, *adv.* Kotshuruka.
Luxury, *n.* Kutshuruka.
Lye, *n.* *As of water impregnated with alkaline salt absorbed from the ashes of wood,* Kutsheza
Lying, *pres. part.* *Lying along, prostrate,* Kugona.
—— *n.* *Uttering of falsehood,* Kunama.

M

M has in Chinyanja the sound of *m* in *man.* If, instead of pronouncing *m* and *n* as *em* and *en* with a short *e* prefixed, we pronounce them as *im, in,* having the *e* replaced by *i,* we get the true sound of these semi-vowels as they stand at the beginning of so many Chinyanja words. Where, in these cases, *m* and *n* are followed by another consonant, there can be no mistake about the pronunciation; but where they are followed by a vowel, and this vowel is not sounded along with *m* or *n,* but apart, it is necessary to write them '*m* and '*n* to prevent mispronunciation.
Mace, *n.* *Sceptre,* Ndodo yotshuka, zindodo zotshuka.
Macerate, *v. t.* Ku bvika.
Machine, *n.* Tshina, (la) matshina.
Mad, *a.* -*A*misala.
—— **To be,** *v.* Ku li -*a*misala.
Madden, *v. t.* Ku panga misala.
Madness, *n.* Misala.
Maggot, *n.* Mbozi, zimbozi.
Magi, *n.* *Wise men,* Antu anzeru.
Magic, *n.* Tsenga, (la) matsenga.
Magical, *a.* -*A*tsenga.
Magically, *adv.* Kwatsenga.
Magician, *n.* Watsenga, atsenga.
Magic-lantern, *n.* Tshitunzi tsha tsenga.
Magistrate, *n.* Mbiri, ambiri; woweruza, oweruza; kazembe, akazembe.
Magnificence, *n.* Kulemerera.
Magnify, *v. t.* Ku kulitsa; ku tshurukitsa; ku pambanitsa.
Magnitude, *n.* Ukuru.
Maid, *n.* *Maiden, till puberty,* Butu, (la) mautu; *above puberty,* namwali, anamwali. Tshiweta, dziweta (*virgin*).
Maidenhood, *n.* *Virginity,* Uweta.
Maid-servant, *n.* Bandazi wankazi, abandazi akazi.
Mail, *n.* *A covering of defence,* Ntshinjirizo, mitshinjirizo.
—— *Letters, papers, etc.,* Tumba la karata.
Maim, *v. t.* Ku pundutsa.
—— *a.* *Halt,* -*A*tshipunumbu.
Maimed, *a.* -*O*punduka.
Main, *n.* *Strength, force, might,* Mpamvu, zimpamvu; khongono, zikhongono.
—— *a.* Mighty, powerful, -*A*mpamvu; -kuru.
Mainly, *adv.* *Chiefly,* Kwakukuru.
Maintain, *v. t.* *To support with the necessaries of life,* Ku lera.
—— *To assert,* Ku limbitsa.
Maintenance, *n.* *Sustenance, support,* Kulera; uleri, (wa) mauleri.
Maize, *n.* Tshimanga, zimanga.
Majesty, *n.* Ukuru; mpamvu yeikuru.
Majority, *n.* *The condition of being of full age,* Ukuru.
—— *The greater number,* Unyinji.
Make, *n.* *Structure, shape, form,* Makalidwe.

Make, *v. t.* *To form, to cause,* Ku panga.
—— *To reach, attain, or arrive at,* Ku fika.
—— *To make amends,* Ku lipa.
—— *To make up one's mind,* Ku tshimika ntima.
—— *To make like,* Ku faniza.
—— *To make way,* Ku kamuka.
—— *To make progress, advance,* Ku endetsa; *in learning,* Ku pitirira.
—— *To compel, to constrain,* Ku fulumiza.
—— *To make ready,* Ku konza.
—— *To create,* Ku panga.
—— *To make war,* Ku panga nkondo; ku tira nkondo.
—— *To make a fire,* Ku koleza (moto).
—— *To make acquainted,* Ku dziwitsa.
—— *To form a shape or manufacture,* Ku omba.
—— *To make light of,* Ku nyozetsa.
—— *To make havoc, destroy,* Ku mwaza.
—— *To make merry,* Ku sekeretsa.
—— *To make up to a required measure,* Ku dzadzitsa.
—— *To make love,* Ku pala bwenzi.
—— *To make quiet, to silence,* Ku tontoletsa.
—— *To make peace,* Ku panga ntendere.
—— *To make haste,* Ku fulumira.
—— *To make or cause trouble,* Ku panga ndeu; ku patsa nsoni.
—— *To make an ado,* Ku longolola.
—— *To make rich,* Ku lemekeza.

Maker, *n.* Wopanga, opanga. *The Maker of all things,* Mpango wa zintu zonse. *One who forms, shapes, or moulds,* Woomba, oomba; womanga, omanga.

Malady, *n.* Ntenda, zintenda.

Male, *n.* *Man,* Mamuna, amuna.
—— *Boy,* Nyamata, anyamata; mwana wamamuna, ana amamuna.

Male, *n.* *Male-kind, human,* amamuna.

Malediction, *n.* *Denunciation of evil,* Tukwano, (la) matukwano.

Malefaction, *n.* *A crime,* Mpulupulu, zimpulupulu; tshoipa. dzoipa.

Malefactor, *n.* *A criminal,* Wetshita mpulupulu, otshita mpulupulu; wotshita zoipa, otshita zoipa.

Malevolence, *n.* Kupanda nsoni.

Malevolent, *a.* -Opanda nsoni.

Malevolently, *adv.* Kopanda nsoni.

Malice, *n.* Kudana; kwaipa.
—— *Prejudice, bias,* Dano, (la) madano.

Malicious, / **Malignant,** *a.* -Odana. *A malicious, malignant person,* Muntu wodana.

Maliciously, *adv.* Kodana.

Maliciousness, *n.* Kudana.

Malign, *v. t.* Ku namiza.

Malignity, *n.* Undano.

Mallet, *n.* Nyundu, zinyundu.

Malt, *n.* Tshimera, dzimera.
—— *v. t.* *To malt,* Ku meretsa.

Mammon, *n.* Zolemera; kulemera.

Man, *n.* Muntu, (*homo*) antu; mamuna, (*vir*) amuna.
—— *A young man,* Nyamata, anyamata.
—— *Full grown,* Mkuru.
—— *An old man,* Wang'kuru, akuru; kalamba, akalamba.

Manacles, *n.* Grigadyera, (la) magrigadyera.

Manage, *v. t.* *To conduct, to rectify,* Ku konza; ku fotokoza.
—— *To manage or control affairs,* Ku weruza.

Mane, *n.* *Of an animal,* Tshenjerere, dzenjerere.

Mange, *n.* Banja, (la) maanja.

Manger, *n.* Ndiero wa nyama, midiero ya nyama.

Mangle, *v. t.* Ku nyalalitsa.

Manhood, *n.* Untu *and* umuntu.
Manifest, *v. t.* *To exhibit,* Ku sonya.
—— *To bring forth to view that which was previously hidden,* Ku sonyeza.
—— *To reveal,* Ku sonyeza.
—— *a.* Clear, -*O*yera.
Manifestation, *n.* Kusonyeza.
Manifold, *a.* -*O*pindulidwa.
Manliness, *n.* Umuntu.
Manly, *adv.* Kwamuntu.
Manner, *n.* Custom, habitual practice, Makalidwe.
—— *Sort, kind,* Mtundu *and* ntundu, mitundu.
—— *adv.* *After the manner of,* Kofana.
Manners, *n.* (*Good*), Matangató (abwino).
Manpleaser, *n.* Woseketsa wa muntu.
Manslayer, *n.* Wambanda, ambanda.
Manstealer, *n.* Woba antu, oba antu.
Mantle, *n.* Tshopfunda, dzopfunda.
Manure, *v. t.* Ku tukusa.
—— *n.* Tshotukusira; ulambwe wa ng'ombe.
—— *Dung, refuse,* Zotaia.
Many, *a.* Mbiri. *Many horses,* Akavalo ambiri. *Many cattle,* Ng'ombe zambiri. *Many trees,* Mitengo yambiri. *Many people,* Antu ambiri.
Mar, *v. t.* *To spoil,* Ku sakaza.
Marble, *n.* Marmore.
Mare, *n.* Kavalo wankazi, akavalo akazi.
Mariner, *n.* Wamatanga, amatanga; marinyero, amarinyero.
Mark, *n.* Lemba, (la) malemba.
—— *A sign of distinction, as a mark on sheep,* Tshizindikilo, dzizindikilo.
—— *A badge of honour,* Kantu katshifumu.
—— *In the flesh from tattooing,* Pini, zimpini.
Mark, *v. t.* *To observe,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To make a distinctive mark,* Ku sindikiza; ku lemba.
—— *To mark the boundaries of an estate or country,* Ku ika maliri.
—— *v. i.* *To note, to take particular notice of,* Ku zindikiritsa *and* ku zindikitsa.
Marksman, *n.* Wotanda bwino, otanda bwino.
Marriage, *n.* Kukwatitsa, kukwatibwa.
—— *Marriage-party,* Oonera kukwatitsa.
—— *Marriage feast,* Kudia kwa kukwatitsa.
Marrow, *n.* Nsiwe, misiwe.
Marry, *v. i.* *To take a wife,* Ku kwata.
—— *To marry a husband,* Ku kwatibwa.
—— *To marry, as applied to both bridegroom and bride,* Ku kwatana *and* ku kwatibwa.
—— *v. t.* *As applied to the officiating clergyman,* Ku kwatitsa.
—— *To give in marriage, as a father giving his daughter in marriage,* Ku kwatibwa.
Marsh, *n.* *A boggy piece of ground,* Dambo, (la) madambo.
Marten, *n.* Fulagombe, afulagombe.
Martyr, *n.* *Witness,* Womariza, omariza.
Marvel, *v. i.* Ku zizwa; ku zirimukwa.
—— *v. t.* *To cause to marvel, to astonish,* Ku zizwitsa.
—— *n.* Tshozizwa, zozizwa.
Mash, *v. t.* Ku ponda.
Mass, *n.* *Of inanimate matter,* Buma, (la) mauma.
—— *A mass of mud,* Buma la tope, mabuma *and* mauma a tope.
—— *Of living beings,* Gulu la antu, magulu a antu.
—— *A mass or swarm of bees,* Ntenge, zintenge.

Mass, *n.* *A dense mass of living or inanimate things,* Mulu, miulu; *a cloud of locusts,* mulu wa madzombe.
—— *Of trees, a dense forest,* Nkalango, zinkalango.
Massacre, *n.* Kuyaluka.
—— *v. t. To massacre,* Ku yalutsa.
Mast, *n.* Mlongoti, milongoti; nzati, mizati (*pillar*).
Master, *v. t.* *To overcome,* Ku pambana.
—— *To go beyond the strength, as a heavy burden,* Ku lemeretsa.
—— *n.* Mbuye, ambuye; mbuie, ambuie.
Master-builder, *n.* Womanga -*a*mbuye.
Masticate, *v. t.* Ku tafuna.
Mastication, *n.* Kutafuna.
Mat, *n.* *A native sleeping mat,* Mpasa, zimpasa.
—— *Sleeping bag,* Fumba, (la) mafumba.
—— *A rough mat made loosely,* Kangala, makangala.
—— *Soft, made of palm leaves,* Nkeka, mikeka.
—— *A table mat for serving up native food on,* Tshipapa, dzipapa.
—— *To make a mat,* Ku soka mpasa; ku luka mpasa.
Mate, *n.* *Companion,* Nza, anza.
Matriculate, *v. i.* Ku lembedwa.
Matter, *n.* *Case, business,* Kantu; mrandu, mirandu.
—— *That which is discharged from a tumour or wound, pus,* Mafinya.
Mattock, *n.* Kasu, (la) makasu.
Mattress, *n.* Mpasa, zimpasa.
Mature, *v. t.* Ku mariza.
—— *v. i.* *Of fruit,* Ku psa.
—— *a.* *Perfected,* -*O*marizidwa.
—— *Ripe, as fruit or corn,* -*O*psa; *and* -*a*kupsa.
—— *Brought to perfection, maturity,* -*A*kupsa.
Maul, *v. t.* Ku menya.
Maze, *v. t.* *To bewilder,* Ku sokaniza.
Me, *per. pron.* Ine *and* ini; *prefixed to verb,* di *and* ndi. *You are beating me,* Undimenya.
Meagre, *a.* -*O*tshepa; -ng'ono.
Meagrely, *adv.* Kotshepa.
Meal, *n.* *Flour,* Ufa, (wa) maufa.
—— *A family meal,* Kudia.
Mealy, *a.* *Of potato,* -*O*uma.
Mean, *n.* *Sign,* Tshifukwa, zifukwa.
—— *v. i.* *To mean,* Ku tantauza.
—— *a.* *Small,* -Ng'ono.
—— **thing,** Kantu koipa.
Meaning, *n.* *Signification,* Tantauzo, (la) matantauzo.
—— *a.* -*O*tantauza.
Meaningless, *a.* -*O*panda tantauzo.
Measure, *v. t.* Ku yeza *and* ku eza.
—— *By putting alongside,* Ku lingana; ku linganiza.
—— *n.* Muyezo *and* muezo, miezo *and* mezo *and* miyezo; pande.
Meat, *n.* *In general,* Nyama, zinyama.
—— *Meat of an animal which has died from sickness or poverty,* Nkoka, mikoka.
—— *Game,* Nyama, zinyama.
—— *Meat without bone,* Nyama yopanda fupa.
Mediate, *v. t.* Ku teteza; ku lekanitsa.
Mediation, *n.* Kuteteza; kulekanitsa.
Mediator, *n.* Wolekanitsa, olekanitsa; mtetezi, atetezi.
Medical, *a.* -*A*mankwala.
Medicine, *n.* Mankwala.
Meditate, *v. i.* Ku ganiza.
Meditation, *n.* Kuganiza.
Meek, *a.* -*O*anja; -odika ntima. *The meek,* Oanja.
—— *To be meek in conduct,* Ku kala -oanja; ku kala -odika ntima.
—— *To be meek, mild, gentle,* Ku li -*o*koma; ku kala -*o*koma.

Meekly, *adv.* Koanja; koianja; kokoma.
Meekness, *n.* Kuanja; kukoma.
—— *Humility,* Kusadzitama; kulekereza.
Meet, *v. i.* *To meet together,* Ku komana (ndi).
—— *To go to meet a person,* Ku enda ku komana ndi.
—— *a.* *Proper, suitable,* -*A*bwino.
—— *Worthy,* -*O*enera, -*o*fatsa.
Meeting, *n.* Kukomana; kusong'kana.
—— **place.** Pankhumano.
Melancholy, *a.* -*A*nsoni.
—— *n.* Tshisoni.
Mellow, *a.* *Applied to fruit,* -*O*psa; -*a*kupsa.
—— *Of land, soft, rich,* Ntaka yabwino; ntaka yokondwa.
Melody, *n.* Msao, misao; kumveka bwino.
Melon, *n.* *Water melon,* Vemve, (la) mavemve; tanga, (la) matanga.
Melt, *v. i.* *As fat before the sun or fire,* Ku sungunuka.
—— *v. t.* *To melt, as iron or metal,* Ku sungunutsa.
Member, *n.* *Of the body,* Tshiwalo, dziwalo.
Memorable, *a.* -*O*kumbukika.
Memorial, *n.* Tshikumbutso, dzikumbutso; kukumbutsa.
—— *Sign,* Tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.
Memory, *n.* Tshikumbuntima; nkumbukwa.
Men, *n.* Antu; amuna.
Mend, *v.t.* *To repair,* Ku fotokoza.
—— *To mend a garment by bringing edges of a rent together,* Ku komaniza.
—— *By filling up a hole,* Ku kwanira.
—— *Improve,* Ku konza.
—— *v. i.* Ku tshira. *He is beginning to mend,* Aamba ku tshira.
Mendicant, *n.* Wosuka, osuka.
Menstruate, *v. i.* Ku li ndi nkole.
Menstruation, *n.* Nkole, zinkole.
—— *First menstruation,* Utsimba (wa); unamwali (wa).
Menstruous, *a.* -*A*nkole.
Mental, *a.* -*A*muwongo.
Mentally, *adv.* Kwamuwongo.
Mention, *n.* Kutshula; tshulo, (la) matshulo.
—— *v. i.* Ku tshula.
Merchandise, *n.* Maronda *and* malonda; tshuma.
Merchant, *n.* Wamalonda, amalonda.
Merciful, *a.* -*O*lekereza; -*a*nsisi; -li ndi nsisi.
Merciless, *a.* -*O*panda nsisi.
Mercy, *n.* Nsisi, zinsisi.
Merrily, *adv.* Kosekera.
Merriness, *n.* Kusekera; tshipwete, dzipwete.
Merry, *a.* -*O*sekera.
Merrymaking, *n.* Sewero, (la) masewero. *To make merry,* Ku panga masewero.
Mess, *n.* *Of food,* Ntanda wa kudia.
Message, *n.* Ntenga; mau.
Messenger, *n.* *One sent,* Ntenga, mitenga.
Metal, *v.* *Iron,* Tshitsulo, dzitsulo.
Metallic, *a.* -*A*tshitsulo.
Mete, *v. t.* Ku gawa.
—— *To measure,* Ku yeza.
Mid-day, *a* Usana.
—— *At midday,* Pa *or* kwa usana.
Middle, *a.* -Kati.
Midnight, *n.* Pakati pa usiku.
Midst, *adv.* Pakati. *In the midst,* Mukati; nkati.
—— *A central spot or locality,* Pakati.
—— *In the midst,* Mkati. *He stood in the midst of the people,* Naima mkati mwa antu.
Midwife, *n.* Pungu, (la) mapungu.
Might, *n.* Mpamvu, zimpamvu.
—— *Strength,* Kulimba.
Mightily, *adv.* Kolimba; kwampamvu.
Mighty, *a.* *Strong,* -*A*limba.
—— -*A*mpamvu.
—— *Almighty.* Wampamvu zonse.

Mighty One, *n.* Wampamvu, ampamvu.
Mild, *a.* *Kind, gentle in disposition,* -Okoma.
—— *Compassionate, merciful,* -Ansisi.
Mildew, *n.* Kufi ; kufi zambiri.
Mildly, *adv.* Kokoma ; kwansisi.
Mildness, *n.* Kukoma ; nsisi.
Milk, *n.* *Sweet milk,* Nkaka, mikaka.
—— *Sour, fermented milk,* Nkaka wolimba.
—— *Milk of a woman,* Maziwa.
—— *v. t.* Ku kama ; ku finya nkaka.
Milker, *n.* Wokama, okama ; wakukama, akukama.
Milk-pail, *n.* Guda, aguda.
Milky, *a.* -Ankaka ; -oyera.
Mill, Millstone, *n.* Mpero, zimpero. *Really the large nether stone. The upper one is called* Mwana wa mpero.
Millepede, *n.* Dzongololo, (la) madzongololo.
Millet, *n.* Mapira. (*See* **Grain, Corn.**)
Milt, *n.* *Of an animal, spleen,* Tshilalo.
—— *Milt of male fish,* Umuna.
—— *Roe of fish,* Sewe, (la) masewe.
Mimic, *v.* Ku tsanza.
Mimosa, *n.* *Large acacia,* Kanzona, mikanzona.
—— Nsio, misio. *This has a pod giving (when boiled) a black dye,* Tshisio.
Mince, *v. t.* *To cut meat into very small pieces,* Ku nyinya.
—— *v. i.* *To take short steps, to walk with a swinging, affected gait,* Ku didiwirika.
Mincingly, *adv.* Kodidiwirika.
Mind, *n.* *The affections,* Ntima.
—— *The will and affections,* Kufuna.
—— *The intellect,* Muwongo, mauongo.
Mindful, *a.* -Okumbukila ; -osunga ; -oyang'anira.
Mine, *pron.* *Belonging to me,* -Nga. *The prefix varies with that of the noun referred to. The book is mine,* Buku liri langa. *That horse is mine,* Kavalo amene ali wanga.
Mingle, *v. t.* *To mix up together without order,* Ku sang'kaniza ; ku sokaniza ; *as clothes unfolded,* ku vungavunga.
—— *To mix together so as to make a mass, to unite in one body,* Ku sang'kaniza.
Minister, *v. i.* *To serve,* Ku imirira.
—— *To bring out,* Ku turutsa.
—— *n.* Woimirira, oimirira.
Ministration, *n.* Kuimirira, maimiriro.
Ministry, *n.* *Work, office,* Kuimirira.
Minority, *n.* Ung'ono (wa).
Minstrel, *n.* Wadziteta, adziteta.
Miracle, *n.* Tshozizwa, zoziswa ; mpamvu, zimpamvu ; tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.
Miraculous, *a.* -Ozizwa.
Miraculously, *adv.* Kozizwa.
Mire, *n.* Tope, (la) matope.
Mirror, *n.* Karirole, akarirole.
Mirth, *n.* *Fun,* Tshipwete.
Misadventure, *n.* Mpingu, mipingu.
Miscarriage, *n.* *Failure of an undertaking,* Kulepera.
—— *The act of bringing forth young before the proper time,* Kutaiamwana.
Miscarry, *v. i.* *To bring forth young before the proper time,* Ku taia mwana.
—— *To procure abortion,* Ku taiitsa nkazi mwana.
Mischief, *n.* Kwaipa.
Mischievous, *a.* -Oipa.
Mischievously, *adv.* Koipa.
Misdeed, *n.* Tshimo, (la) matshimo.
Miserable, *a.* -Atshisoni.
—— *Ignorant,* -Ozingalidwa.

Miserably, *adv.* Kwatshisoni.
Misery, *n.* Tshisoni, zisoni.
Misfortune, *n.* Tsoka, (la) matsoka.
Mislead, *v. t.* Ku tshimwitsa; ku sotshereza.
Miss, *v. i.* *To just or barely miss an object aimed at, as in firing at an object,* Ku ponya.
—— *n.* *A young lady,* Butu, (la) mautu; namwali, anamwali.
Missionary, *n.* Mtenga *and* ntenga, mitenga; wotumidwa, otumidwa.
Mission-station, *n.* Malo opunzitsa.
Misrepresent, *v. t.* Ku namiza.
—— *To overdraw a story,* Ku pipiritsa.
Mist, *n.* Kungu, zinkungu.
Mistake, *v. i.* Ku tshimwira.
—— *n.* Tshimo, (la) matshimo.
Mistress, *n.* *Of a house or family, head wife,* Akuka; mbuye and mbuie wankazi, ambuye, ambuie ankazi.
Misty, *n.* Kamite, timite.
Mite, *a.* -*A*kungu.
Mix, *v. t.* *To mix up or together without order,* Ku sang'kaniza.
—— *As one liquid with another, or of a solid with a liquid,* Ku tsira.
—— *Mix up different matters, as in a trial,* Ku sokaniza.
—— *To mix different ingredients into one mass,* Ku sang'kaniza.
—— *Mix up, as fat or ointment, or to churn, as butter,* Ku gobvola.
Mixture, *n.* Zosang'kaniza.
Mizzle, *v. i.* *To rain in very fine drops,* Ku waza.
Moan, *v. i.* *In sickness,* Ku bulira.
—— *To groan,* Ku bulira.
—— *n.* Buliro, (la) mabuliro.
Mob, *n.* *A promiscuous multitude of people,* Antu ambiri; kamu la antu, makamu a antu. (Kamu *has a tribal reference*—Kamu la Atonga; kamu la Angoni.)
Mock, *v. t.* *To deride,* Ku nyoza; ku tsanza.
—— *Make a fool of,* Ku pusitsa; ku tonza.
—— *To laugh at,* Ku nyodola; ku seka pa.
—— *To accuse falsely,* Ku sinjirira.
Mocking, *n.* Kutonza, matonzo.
—— *a.* -*O*nyoza.
Mockingly, *adv.* Konyoza.
Model, *n.* Kusonya; sonyo, (la) masonyo.
Moderate, *a.* -*O*nyanyalaza.
Moderately, *adv.* Konyanyalaza.
—— *Of eating,* Konyanyata.
Moderation, *n.* Kunyanyalaza.
Modest, *a.* -*A*manyazi.
—— *Not showy, as in garments,* -*O*saopsa.
Modestly, *adv.* Kwamanyazi.
Modesty, *n.* Manyazi.
Moist, *a.* *Damp,* -*A*nyonto.
Moisten, *v. t.* Ku nyontetsa.
Moistness, *n.* Nyonto.
Moisture, *n.* Nyonto.
—— *On the outside of an earthen pot by oozing,* Tshime, dzime.
Mole, *n.* Mfuko, zimfuko.
Molest, *v. t.* Ku bvuta.
Moment, *n.* Kantawi, tintawi.
Monday, *n.* Monde; dzua loamba ntshito.
Money, *n.* Ndrama; *and* ndalama. *Where is the money,* Ndrama ziri kuti?
Money-changer, *n.* Wosinta ndrama, osinta ndrama.
Monkey, *n.* Pusi, apusi.
—— *Big,* Ntshima, zintshima.
Month, *n.* Mwezi, miezi; *contr.* mezi.
—— *Last month,* Mwezi wafa.
Moon, *n.* Mwezi, miezi.
—— *New moon,* Tombongali, atombongali.
—— *Full moon,* Mwezi woukuru.
—— *A waning moon,* Mwezi ulinkuta; kuta kwa mwezi.
More and more, *adv.* Kuyenjeza.
Moreover, *adv.* *Besides, further,* -*O*pambana.

Morning, *n.* Mawa.
—— *In the morning,* M' mawa.
—— *The morning dawn,* Banja kutsha.
Morning-star, *n.* Ntanda; kurukuru.
Morrow, *n.* *To-morrow,* Mawa. *To-morrow I will come,* Didza fika mawa.
Morsel, *n.* *Of bread,* Kankate.
Mortal, *a.* *-A*kufa; *-a*ntembo. *Our mortal bodies,* Matupi atu akufa.
Mortally, *adv.* Kofa; kwakufa.
Mortar, *n.* Ntondo, mitondo.
—— *Clay,* Dote, (la) madote.
Mortification, *n.* Kubvunda.
Mortify, *v. i.* *To become gangrenous,* Ku bvunda; ku pa; ku petsa; ku fetsa.
Mosquito, *n.* Udzuzu, maudzuzu, *and* udzuzu zambiri.
Moss, *n.* Ndere, zindere.
Mote, *n.* *Of eye,* tshitolo, zitolo.
Moth, *n.* *The flying moth,* Peperu, apeperu.
—— *Moth in garments,* Tshikululu, dzikululu.
Motheaten, *a.* *-O*dibwa ndi tshikululu.
Mother, *n.* Amai mama.
—— *My mother,* Amai anga.
—— *Thy mother,* Amai ako; *ctr.* amako.
—— *Your mother,* Amai anu; *ctr.* amanu.
—— *His or her mother,* Amai atshi; *ctr.* amatshi.
—— *Their mother,* Amai ao; *ctr.* amao.
Mother-in-law. Pongozi, apongozi.
Motion, *n.* Kuenda.
—— *Of the hand,* Kutakata.
—— *v. t.* *To motion a person away by the motion of the hand,* Ku inga.
—— *To motion with the hand, as to call attention and obtain audience from an excited assembly,* Ku kodola.
Motionless, *a.* *-A*tshutshutshu.
Mould, *v. i.* *To become mouldy, as soil when, from its own richness, it pulverises,* Ku kala kufi; ku gwa kufi.
—— *To become mouldy, as bread or cheese,* Ku kala kufi.
—— *n.* *Soil,* Ntaka, zintaka.
—— *As on bread, books, or leather,* kufi.
Mouldy, *a.* Ku gwa kufi (tshikopa tshagwa kufi), the skin has become mouldy.
Moult, *v. i.* *To cast the skin, as a snake,* Ku tsua; ku pfundula.
—— *To cast the feathers, as a bird,* Ku sosola.
Mound, *n.* *Of earth,* Mulu, miulu.
Mount, *v. i.* *To rise, to ascend,* Ku kwera.
—— *To get on horseback, or on a vehicle,* Ku kwera.
—— *n.* *A hillock or hill,* Kapiri, timapiri.
Mountain, *n.* Piri, (la) mapiri.
Mourn, *v. i.* Ku lira; ku mva tshisoni.
—— *To mourn for or on account of,* Ku lirira. *Blessed are they that mourn,* Odala ali omwe amva tshisoni.
Mourner, *n.* Wolira, olira.
Mournful, *a.* *-A*nsoni.
Mournfully, *adv.* Kwansoni.
Mourning, *n.* Kulira, maliro (*the plu. is used to express lamentations for the dead*).
Mouse, *n.* *Generic,* Mbewa, zimbewa.
Mouth, *n.* Nkamwa, nkamwa (mwa).
—— *Mouth of a river,* Matsiriro.
—— *Mouthpiece of a smoking-pipe,* Biza, (la) mabiza.
Mouthful, *n.* *Of masticated food,* Tshankamwa, dzankamwa.

Move, *v. t. To shake, to agitate,* Ku sukunya.
—— *To remove from one place to another,* Ku sinta.
—— *To impel forward, as a ship by the wind,* Ku kang'ka.
—— *v. i. To tremble, to shake,* Ku gwedera.
—— *To move from one place to another,* Ku pitirapitira.
—— *To move on one side, to move out of the way,* Ku pambuka.
—— *To move forward on the belly, as a snake,* Ku kwawa.
—— *To move the person by walking,* Ku enda. *Move on,* Enda; endatu.
—— *To move about quickly, as a dog or a kitten in play,* Ku lumpalumpa.
Movement, *n.* Kupita; kuenda.
Mover, *n.* Wesunta, osunta.
Mow, *v. t. As grass,* Ku tema.
—— *By single blows, as reeds,* Ku senga.
—— *To reap,* Ku tshera.
Mower, *n.* Wotema, otema.
Much, *a.* -Mbiri; -kuru. *There is much food in that land,* Kuli kudia kwambiri m' dziko. *There is much rain,* Iripo mvula yambiri.
—— *adv. Much more,* Kwambiri kopambana.
—— *Much in quantity,* Kwambiri; kopambana. *Do this much more,* Tshita tshimene kwambiri kopambana. *Add much more,* Ong'khetsa kwambiri kopambana.
Often Kwakukuru *is used for 'Very much.'*
Mucus, *n. From the nostrils,* Mamina.
Mud, *n.* Tope, (la) matope.
Muddy, *a.* -Atope. *Muddy water,* madzi atope.
Muffle, *v. i. To cover close the head, neck, and face,* Ku pimba.
Multiplication, *n.* Ku pinda.
—— *Multiplication table,* Gome la kupindula.
Multiply, *v. i.* Ku tshurukitsa.
—— *Of animals,* Ku swana.
—— *v.t.* Ku pinda; ku pindula.
Multitude, *n. A concourse of people,* Antu ambiri.
—— *A herd of cattle,* Gulu la ng'ombe.
Murder, *v. t.* Ku pa.
—— *n.* Mbanda, ambanda.
Murderer, *n.* Wambanda, ambanda.
Murmur, *v. i. To make a low continued noise, as bees in the hive, or the sea when calm, or as of people speaking in a low tone,* Ku kukuma.
—— *Of a child,* Ku nyinyidza.
—— *To grumble, to complain,* Ku ng'ung'udza; ku ndandaula.
—— *As the sound accompanying an earthquake,* Ku lirima.
Murmuring, *n.* Kundandaula, mandandaulo; kung'ung'udza.
Murmuringly, *adv.* Kondandaula.
Muscle, *n.* Nyama, zinyama.
Muse, *v. i. To meditate,* Ku ganiza.
—— *v. t. To ponder, to think over, or closely on a subject,* Ku ganizaganiza.
Mushroom, *n. The large species eaten by the natives, generic,* Boa, (wa) maboa.
Music, *n. Melody,* Msao, miaso.
—— *Vocal,* Kuimba.
—— *Instrumental,* Kuomba.
Musical, *a.* -Oimba; -oomba.
Musical Instruments, *n.* Tshakuimba, dzakuimba—
—— *A monochord across a bow, with or without a resonating gourd,* Tshinumbu, dzinumbu.
—— *A short monochord, the end of the bow being held in the mouth; usually played by girls,* Nkangala, mikangala.
—— *With several (usually four or six) strings,* Limba, (wa) malimba.
—— *One of these, with a large resonating gourd and fragments of shells loosely attached,* Tshisakasa, dzisakasa.

Musical Instruments—

—— *With iron or wooden reeds, the ends of which are pressed, and thus set vibrating*, Sansi, asansi.

—— *A sort of fife, with three or four holes*, Mlumbwi, milumbwi.

—— *A sort of one-stringed fiddle*, Ngoli, mingoli.

—— *A small pipe, with reed, used by cattle herds*, Nyanga, zinyanga ; kweru, (la) makweru.

—— *Horn of the koodoo or other animal*, Palasa, zimpalaza.

—— *Bugle of metal, or imitated by a reed and part of gourd*, Lipenga, (la) malipenga.

—— Pan's pipes.

—— **Drum**, *General term*, Ng'oma, zing'oma. *These are usually made of a transverse section of a tree, the interior of which is hollowed out entirely, leaving a wooden cylinder ; or the wood is left wholly or partly uncut at the one end. Over the open end is stretched, in the larger drums, the skin of an elephant's ear ; in the smaller, the skin of an iguana or large lizard ; in others, the skin of a snake. Varieties of drums are as follows :—*

Ntsanga, mitsanga, *The only kind covered with membrane at both ends. It is a large drum, beaten with sticks.*

Pondaponda, apondaponda, *Large drum with open end.*

Tshitungwi, dzitungwi, 1 *ft.* 6 *in. to* 2 *feet long, with open end.*

Finta, zifinta, *Large drum supported by string, end partly closed.*

Ngugu, zingugu, *Small drum, with small hole in lower end.*

Mfukula, zimfukula, *Small drum, with small hole in lower end and a small hole in the side, which is covered by a spider's web or bat's wing, thus giving an altered note. The ordinary sized* mfukula *is beaten by the hands, while the open end is held against the performer's body, or partly raised from it, according to the note to be produced. Larger sized ones rest on the ground, and are beaten by a stick.*

Lombe, (la) malombe, *Have one end closed, and from the centre part of the wood projects to some distance six or seven of different sizes are used, ranged in a line, the performer beating them alternately with a stick.*

Nzunguza, mizunguza, *Are usually in sets of four, of which one is large and the other small. All are open at the lower end. The big one is lashed to a tree while it is beaten, and all are beaten with a stick.*

Tserereka, atsererereka. *Usually four or five form a set of these. They are open at the lower end, are beaten by the hands, and one of them is large.*

The above names are also used to denote both the tune played on these different kinds of drums, and the dance by which they are accompanied.

Musician, *n.* Wagule, agule.

Musingly, *adv. Thoughtfully*, Koganiza.

Musings, *n. Thoughts*, Ganizo, (la) maganizo.

Musket, *n.* Mfuti, futi, zimfuti.

Must, *aux. verb, is rendered by* Kana.

Mustache, *n.* Ndebvu za mlomo wapamwamba.

Mustard, *n.* Mostade, (wa) amostade.

Muster, *v. i.* Ku song'kana.

—— *n.* Kusong'kana.

Mute, *n.* Wosadziwa ku lankula, osadziwa ku lankula.

Mutilate, *v. t.* Ku dula.

Mutter, *v. i. In one's sleep, and also of delirium, slight muttering*, Ku bwebweta.

Muttering, *n.* *In one's sleep,* Bwebweto, mabwebweto (*also said of communications of the spirits to a man*).
Mutton, *n.* Nyama ya nkosa.
Mutual, *a.* *The reciprocal form of the verb is used to express mutual action. Suffix,* ana; -awiri.
Mutual love, *n.* Kukondana.
—— **hatred,** Kukwiana.
Muzzle, *v. t.* Ku punamiza.
—— *n.* Tshopunamizira.
My, *per. pron.* -*A*nga. *My horses,* Akavalo anga. *My house,* Nyumba yanga. *My horse,* Kavalo wanga. *My child,* Mwana wanga, mwananga.
Myself, *pron.* Ine ndeka. *It is I myself,* Diri ine ndeka.
—— *Of myself, purposely, without compulsion or prompting from another,* Wa ine ndeka; wa ntima wanga. *I did it of my own accord,* Dinatshitshita kwa ntima wanga.
Mysterious, *a.* -*O*sadziwika.
Mysteriously, *adv.* Kosadziwika.
Mystery, *n.* Kusadziwika; tshosadziwika.

N

N has in Chinyanja the sound of *n* in *man.* (*See* **M.**)
Nab, *v. t.* *To seize suddenly, to fasten upon,* Ku kwatula.
Nail, *v. t.* Ku manga ndi nsomali; ku komera misomali.
—— *n.* Nsomali, misomali.
—— *The finger nail,* Tshikabado, dzikabado.
Naked, *a.* -*O*mariseke; -*a*marisetshe; -*a*mariseke. *The child is naked,* Mwana ali womariseke. *The people are naked,* Antu ali omariseke.
Nakedness, *n.* Mariseke; marisetshe; usiwa (watshi). *To sit in a naked or nude state,* Usiwa, *implies reproach.*
Name, *n.* Dzina, (la) maina.
—— *A distinguishing name,* Dzina lopatikiza.
—— *What is your name,* Dzina lako ndiwe ani?
—— *v. t.* *To give a name,* Ku tsha.
Namely, *adv.* *So,* Tshointsho.
Nap, *v. i.* *Referring to the nodding action of a person napping,* Ku sinza.
Nape, *n.* *Of the neck,* Mfundo ya kosi, mfundo za kosi.
Napkin, *n.* Mlenso, milenso, *and* mlenzo malenzo.
Narrate, *v. t.* *To recite, as a story,* Ku uza.
—— *To relate the particulars of any event or transaction,* Ku taulira.
—— *To tell the news,* Ku uza makalidwe.
Narration, *n.* *A story,* Mwambi, miambi.
—— *A set discourse or oration,* Kuambirira; uzo, (la) mauzo.
Narrator, *n.* Wouza, ouza.
Narrow, *a.* *Strait,* -*O*papatiza.
—— *As a path or road,* -*O*sota. *Also used of smallness of a plate and narrowness of a canoe.*
—— *A narrow pass, as in a mountain range,* Mpata, mipata.
—— *A narrow pass through a precipitous rock,* Mpata wosota.
—— *v. t.* *To contract a road or avenue in width,* Ku sotetsa.
Narrowly, *adv.* Kosota. *He narrowly escaped,* Wapulumuka kosota.
Narrowness, *n.* Kusota.
Nastily, *adv.* Konyansa.
Nastiness, *n.* Kunyansa; matubvi.
Nasty, *a.* *Ugly, evil,* -*O*ipa; -onyansa.
—— *Filthy,* -*O*nyansa.
Nation, *n.* Ntundu, mitundu.
National, *a.* -*A*ntundu.
Nationality, *n.* Ntundu *and* untundu.
Nationally, *adv.* Kwantundu.
Natural, *a.* -*A*makalidwe.

Naturally, *adv.* Kwamakalidwe; ndi makalidwe.
Nature, *n.* *Constitution of mind,* Makalidwe.
—— *Birth,* Kubadwa.
—— *The essential qualities or attributes of a person or thing,* Makalidwe.
—— *Custom, form,* Makalidwe.
—— *Or heart of a thing, substance or essence,* Ntsemerero, mitsemerero.
Naught, *v. i.* *To come to naught,* Ku peputsa.
Nauseate, *v. i.* *To feel nauseated with sickness,* Ku sanzitsa.
Navel, *n.* Ntshombo, mitshombo.
Nay, *adv.* Iai.
Near, *a.* -*O*andika *and* -oyandika.
Near, / **Nearly,** } *adv.* *Almost, within a little,* Pafupi; kufupi. *Almost,* Pafupi.
Nearness, *n.* Kuandika *and* kuyandika.
Nearsighted, *a.* Kuyang'anirapafupi.
Neat, *a.* -*A*dongo. *A neat boy,* Nyamata wadongo.
Neatly, *adv.* Kwadongo.
Necessarily, *adv.* Kofunidwa.
Necessary, *n.* *A desirable something,* Maouk.
—— *a.* -*O*funidwa.
Necessitous, *a.* -*O*-auka.
Necessity, *n.* Kufuna, mafuno; tshofuna, zofuna; tshofunidwa, zofunidwa.
Neck, *n.* *Of the body,* Kosi, (la) makosi.
—— *Neck or pass in a mountain range,* Mpata, mipata.
Necklace, *n.* *Made of beads,* Tshipote, dzipote.
Need, *n.* *Want,* Kupanda; kusauka; kusoa; kufuna; kufunidwa.
—— *v.* *In need, to be without,* Ku panda; ku soa.
—— *To wish,* Ku funa.
Needful, *a.* -*O*funidwa.
Needle, *n.* *Big,* Singano, asingano.
—— *Small sewing needle,* Kasingano.
Needless, *a.* -*O*safunidwa.
Neglect, *n.* *Omission,* Kusasamala. *Slight, disrespect,* mphwaiyo, zimphwaiyo.
—— *v. t.* *To omit by carelessness or design,* Ku sasamala; ku ononga.
—— *To slight, not to notice,* Ku tontolera.
—— *To wilfully neglect,* Ku nyoza.
—— *To leave a thing undone,* Ku sia.
Neighbour, *n.* Woiandikila, oiandikila; nansi, anansi.
Neighbourhood, *n.* Pafupi ndi malo atshi.
Neighbouring, *a.* *Adjoining,* -*O*andika.
Neighbourly, *adv.* Koandikila.
Neither, *pron.* Kapena *with verb in neg. conj.*
Nephew, Niece, *n.* Mwana; *my nephew,* mwana wanga; *his nephew* (*if child of older brother*), mwana wa njiratshi; (*if child of younger brother*), mwana wa mpwatshi.
Nest, *n.* *A bird's nest,* Tshisa, dzisa.
Net, *n.* Ukonde, (wa) maukonde.
—— *A fishing net, seine net,* Koka, (la) makoka.
—— *For hunting,* Ukonde wa nyama.
Nettle, *n.* Kaiamani, akaiamani.
Never, *adv.* Palibe ntawi. *I will never do it,* Sindidzatshita palibe ntawi.
Nevertheless, *adv.* Koma.
New, *a.* -*A*tsopano. *A new garment,* Maraia atsopano.
—— *To make new,* Ku panga -*a*tsopano.
—— *n.* *The new moon,* Tombongali, atombongali.
Newly, *adv.* Kwatsopano.
Newness, *n.* Utsopano.
News, *n.* Makalidwe. *Tell us the news,* Uza ife makalidwe.

Next, *adv.* *In position,* -*A*wina; -*a*patsogolo; -*a*pambuiu.
—— *Nearest in time,* -Ina.
—— *Next day,* Mawa; dzua lina. *For the next year, the 'coming year' is used,* Tshaka tshirinkudza.
Nibble, *v. t.* Ku bebeda.
Nice, *a.* *As food,* -*O*koma; -*a*bwino.
Nicely, *adv.* Kokoma; kwabwino.
Niggardly, *adv.* Kwauma ntima.
Nigh, *a.* *Near at hand, as to locality,* pafupi; -oandika. *The house is nigh to the road,* Nyumba iri pafupi njira.
—— *As to time,* Pafupi; -oandika. *The time is nigh,* Ntawi iri yoandika.
Night, *n.* Usiku.
Nightly, *adv.* *Done in the night,* Nsiku, zinsiku, *which also means a definite period of past time,* e.g. *the term of a completed engagement: Every night,* -*A*nsiku onse.
Nimble, *a.* -*A*tshangu.
Nimbleness, *n.* Tshangu.
Nimbly, *adv.* Kwatshangu.
Nine, *a.* Sanu ndi-nai.
Ninefold, *a.* -*O*pindidwa kasanu ndi kanai.
Nineteen, *a.* Kumi ndi -sanu ndi -nai.
Ninety, *a.* Makumi asanu ndi anai.
Ninthly, *adv.* Kasanu ndi kanai.
Nipple, *n.* *Of a woman's breast,* Nkhumbu, zinkhumbu.
Nit, *n.* *The egg of a louse,* Mwena, zimwena.
No, *adv.* Iai; ai; toto=*no indeed.*
Noble, *a.* -*O*tshuka.
Nobleman, *n.* Wotshuka, otshuka.
Nobly, *adv.* Kotshuka.
Nod, *v. i.* *With sleepiness,* Ku zinza *and* ku guntama.
—— *To bow, to nod in salutation,* Ku guduma.
—— *To wag the head in derision,* Ku pukusa.
—— *To nod assent,* Ku bvomera; ku guzima.
Noise, *n.* Namalowe.
—— *v. t.* *To make a noise,* Ku omba; ku ombera.
—— *To make a great noise to prevent others from sleeping,* Ku sokosa.
Noisome, *a.* -*O*sokosa.
—— *Offensive to the touch or smell,* -*O*nyansa.
None, *n.* *Not one.* Palibe; palibe modzi.
Nonsense, *n.* Utsiru.
Nonsensical, *a.* -*A*utsiru.
Nonsensically, *adv.* Kwautsiru.
Noon, *n.* Usana.
Noose, *n.* Kwekwe, (la) makwekwe; kango, (la) makango.
North, *adv.* Kumpoto. *The north wind,* Mpoto.
—— **-east.** Mpoto bvuma.
—— **-west.** Mpoto zambwe.
Nose, *n.* Mpuno, zimpuno; *and* mfuno, zimfuno.
—— *Bridge of the nose,* Nokonoko (wa mfuno), minokonoko.
—— *To bleed at the nose,* Ku ka m' kamfuno.
Nostril, *n.* Mpanda (ya mfuno), zimpanda.
Not, *adv.* Sa, *of neg. con. of verb.*
Notable, *a.* *Conspicuous,* -*O*kumbukika; -osonyeza; -odziwika; -odziwidwa.
—— *Well known, notorious,* -*O*kumbukika; -odziwidwa kopambana.
Notably, *adv.* Kokumbukika.
Notch, *n.* Kutseketa.
—— *v. t.* Ku tseketa.
Note, *n.* *Of note, of fame,* Mbiri.
—— *v. i.* *To observe,* Ku yang'anira.
Nothing, *n.* *Of no importance,* -*A*tshabe.
—— *Not anything,* -Libe kantu. *There is nothing,* Kulibe kantu.
Notice, *n.* Uzo, (la) mauzo.
Notification, *n.* Kudziwitsidwa.

Notify, *v. t.* *To make known,* Ku dziwitsa.
—— *To give formal or official notice,* Ku uza.
—— *To note, to observe,* Ku yang'anira.
Notorious, *a.* Tshirombo tsha muntu.
Notwithstanding, Koma. *It rains heavily, we must go notwithstanding,* Ivumba mvula yambiri, koma tikanapita.
Nourish, *v. t.* *To feed and cause to grow,* Ku lera.
Nourishment, *n.* Kudia; kulera.
Novice, *n.* Woiambira, oiambira.
Now, *adv.* Tsopano; tsopano lino; pompo.
—— *Just now,* Tsopano lino.
—— *Go now,* Tshoka; tshokatu; tshoka tsopano.
Null, *a.* -*A*tshabe.
Nullify, *v. i.* *To make void,* Ku panga tshabe.
Number, *v. t.* Ku werenga.
—— *n.* *More than one,* Mbiri; kuwerenga; kutshuruka. *What is the number of the people?* Kuwerenga kwa antu kuli kangati?
—— *A numeral, or written number, as expressing a computation, as* 1, 2, 3, etc., Lemba, (la) malemba.
Numerous, *a.* *A mass, or swarm of living things,* Unyinji.
—— *Many in number,* -*A*mbiri. *Numerous people,* Antu ambiri. *The prefix changes with that of the noun.*
Numerously, *adv.* Kotshuruka; kwambiri.
Numerousness, *n.* Unjinji; kutshuruka.
Nurse, *v. t.* *To bring up a child, as a wet nurse, or by adopting it,* Ku lera.
—— *To nurse a child, as a nurse girl,* Ku lera.
—— *To nurse a sick person,* Ku yang'anira.
Nurse, *n.* *A wet nurse,* Woyamwitsa, oyamwitsa.
—— *A nurse girl,* Mlezi *and* mulezi, alezi.
—— *A general nurse of sick,* Woyang'anira odwala.
Nurture, To, *v. t.* Ku lera.
—— *n.* Kulera.

O

O has the uniform long open sound in Chinyanja of *o* in the English words *tone, none, roll.*
Oar, *n.* *Or paddle,* Nkafi, zinkafi; remo, maremo.
Oath, *n.* Lumbiro, (la) malumbiro.
Oats, *n.* *Oat hay, or forage,* Otes.
Obedience, *n.* Kumvera.
Obedient, *a.* -*O*mvera.
Obesity, *n.* Kupwidzikira.
Obey, *v. i.* Ku mvera.
Object, *v. t.* Ku kana.
—— *n.* *Thing,* Tshintu, zintu; kantu.
—— *Of worship,* Tshopembedza, zopembedza.
Objector, *n.* Wokana, okana.
Oblation, *n.* Nsembe (ya moa), zinsembe.
Oblique, *a.* -*O*seama; -opunduka (*deviating from moral rectitude*).
Obliquity, *n.* *Deviation from moral rectitude,* Kupunduka.
—— *Deviation from perpendicularity,* Kuseama.
Oblong, *a.* Utali wopambána kupingasa.
Observation, *n.* Kuyang'anira.
Observe, *v. i.* *To look attentively at any object,* Ku yang'anira *and* ku yang'anitsa.
—— *To understand,* Ku dziwa.
—— *To keep, as the law,* Ku sunga.
—— *To make mention of,* Ku uza; ku nena.
—— *To perceive,* Ku dziwitsa.

Obstinacy, *n.* Kukana.
Obstinate, *a.* -*O*kana. *An obstinate person,* Muntu wokana.
Obstinately, *adv.* Kokana.
Obstruct, *v. t.* *By the occurrence of difficulties,* Ku letsa. *These things obstruct my work,* Zintu zimenezi ziletsa ntshito yanga.
—— *To retard progress,* Ku tshedwetsa.
—— *To bar, to stop up, or close, as a way or passage,* Ku tseka.
Obstruction, *n.* Tshotseka.
Obtain, *v.i.* *As a possession, or reward, or pay,* Ku landira.
—— *To obtain by searching for,* Ku peza.
—— *To reach,* Ku fika ku.
—— *By chance, To find,* Ku tola.
Obtuse, *a.* *Dull of apprehension,* -*O*pulukira.
Obtusely, *adv.* Kopulukira.
Obtuseness, *n.* Kupulukira.
Obvious, *a.* *Open, evident,* -*O*onekera. *That is obvious to everybody,* Tshimene tshiri tshoonekera kwa onse.
Obviously, *adv.* Koonekera; koonera.
Occasion, *n.* *Time of happening,* Ntawi.
—— *Cause,* Tshifukwa, zifukwa.
—— *Opportunity,* Pofatsa, maofatsa *and* mofatsa.
—— *Incident. A pleasant or profitable incident,* Mwa (wa).
—— *A painful incident,* Mpingu, mipingu.
—— *A favourable time for acting,* Pofatsa, mofatsa *and* maofatsa.
—— *Reason for acting,* Tshifukwa, dzifukwa. *They seek occasion against us,* Afuna tshifukwa pa ife.
—— *Cause of stumbling,* Tshopuntwitsa.
—— *v. t.* *To cause,* Ku panga.
—— *To occasion strife,* Ku panga ndeu.
—— *To seek occasion,* Ku funa *and* ku funitsa tshifukwa.
Occasional, *a.* -*A*kamodzi.
Occasionally, *adv.* Kamodzikamodzi.
Occupy, *v. t.* *As a house,* Ku kala m' nyumba.
—— *The attention of, and so delay a person or animal,* Ku zimbaitsa.
Ocean, *n.* Nyanja yantshere.
Ochre, *n.* *Oxide of iron used for colouring or painting the body,* Kundwe, akundwe.
—— *Red clay,* Katondo (wa).
Odd, *a.* -*O*zizwa.
Odious, *a.* *Hateful,* -*O*kwiidwa.
—— *Offensive,* -*O*ipa.
Odiously, *adv.* Koipa.
Odiousness, *n.* Kukwiidwa.
Odorous, *a.* -*A*fungo.
Odorously, *adv.* Kwafungo.
Odour, *n.* Fungo, (la) mafungo; tshonung'kira, dzonung'kira.
—— *A pleasant odour,* Fungo labwino; tshonung'kira tshabwino.
—— *An offensive odour,* Fungo loipa; tshonung'kira tshoipa.
Of, *prep.* -A, *with the various concords. Wife of the chief,* Nkaziwa fumu. *The cattle of Pato,* Ng'ombe za Pato. *The hat of John,* Tshisoti tsha Yohane. *When 'of' follows a verb, other forms are used; as—I bought it of him,* Dinagula kwa ie. *I have heard of them,* Dinamva ndi awo. *I did it of myself,* Dinatshita ndi ine ndeka. *Take of these,* Tenga ndi zimeneze *and* tenga kwa zimenezi. *I speak of him,* Dinena ndi ie. *He is one of us,* Ali modzi wa ife.
—— *Of course,* Inde. *Yes, of course,* Inde nditu.
Off, *adv.* *Noting distance,* Kwa; kutali. *The house is a great way off,* Nyumba iri kutali.
—— *To take off,* Ku tshotsa. *Take off the cover from the pot,* Tshotsa tshivundikila tsha mpika. *To take the pot off the fire,* Ku pula (mpika).

Off, *adv.* *To cut off,* Ku dula.
—— *To tear off,* Ku ng'amba.
—— *To run off,* Ku tawa.
—— *Opposite,* Pandunji pa.
Offence, *n.* *Against a law,* Tshimo, (la) matshimo.
—— *Scandal, cause of stumbling,* Kukwiitsa.
Offend, *v. t.* *To make angry,* Ku kwiitsa.
—— *To offend by insulting words,* Ku nyoza.
—— *To cause to offend,* Ku samveretsa.
Offended, *a.* -*O*kwiitsidwa.
Offender, *n.* Wotshimwa, otshimwa.
Offensive, *a.* *Disgusting,* -*O*nyansa.
—— *Causing displeasure or anger,* -*O*kwiira ; -okwiitsa.
Offer, *v. t.* *As a sacrificial offering,* Ku tsira nsembe.
—— *To give over to another,* Ku patsa ; ku pereka.
—— *To offer (in pretence), as a present while wishing the other party to decline the gift,* Ku siriza.
—— *A sacrificial offering,* Nsembe, zinsembe.
Offering, *n.* *In divine worship,* Nsembe, zinsembe ; tshotsera, dzotsera.
—— *n.* *Gift,* Tsholere, dzolere ; tshaulere, dzaulere ; tshopatsa, dzopatsa.
Office, *n.* *Stewardship, overseership,* Udindo, (wa) maudindo ; Untshito (wa).
Officer, *n.* *A civil officer,* Mkuru, akuru ; nkoswe, ankoswe.
—— *A military officer,* Kazembe, akazembe.
—— *A steward,* Ndindo, adindo.
Offscouring, Dzinyalala.
Offspring. *Generation,* Fuko, (la) mafuko.
—— *Children,* Ana.
Oft, Often, *adv.* Kawiri kawiri ; kawiri ndi kawiri. *Do it often,* Tshita kawiri kawiri.
Ogle, *v. i.* *To look with side glances,* Ku unguzira.
Oh! *interj.* O! kodi!
Oil, *n.* Mafuta.
—— *v. t.* *To make or skim off oil,* Ku enga.
—— Ku dzosa ; ku paka ndi mafuta.
Old, *a.* *Advanced in years,* -*A*kali.
—— *An old horse,* Kavalo wakali.
—— *An old man,* Muntu wakalamba *and* wankalamba ; wokalamba, okalamba ; nkalamba, zinkalamba.
—— *An old woman,* Nkazi wakalamba.
—— *Worn out, decayed, as a worn out garment,* -Akali. *If torn it is* -*A*mansanza.
Old age, *n.* *Dotage,* Ukalamba.
Oldness, *n.* Ukali.
Olecranon process. Tshigongono, dzigongono.
Olive, *n.* Olive, (la) maolive.
Olive-tree, *n.* Ntengo wa maolive.
Omnipotence, *n.* Mpamvuyonse.
Omnipotent, *a.* -*A*mpamvuyonse. *The omnipotent Jehovah,* Yehova wampamvuyonse.
Omnipresence, *n.* Alimaloonse.
Omnipresent, *a.* -*A*maloonse.
Omniscience, *n.* Kudziwazonse.
Omniscient, *a.* -*O*dziwazonse.
On, *prep.* *Upon,* Pa. *You are sitting upon me,* Ulikukala pa ine.
—— *On the surface of a thing, as on the table, or on the ground,* -Pamwamba pa. *My book is on the table,* Buku langa liri pa gome. *He is sitting on the ground,* Alikukala pansi.
—— *To go on foot,* Ku enda pa mapazi.
—— *To go by land,* Ku enda pantunda.
—— *On that day,* Pa siku lidza.
—— *On the right hand,* Pa dzanja lamanja.
—— *On the way, on the road,* Panjira.
—— *On high,* Pamwamba.

On, *adv. Forward, in progression,* Tieni! *Go on,* Tien! tien! haya! haya!

Once, *adv. One time,* Kamodzi. *Do it once,* Tshita kamodzi.

—— *Once and again,* Kamodzi ndi kamodzi.

—— *Once, before,* Kali, ntawi imodzi.

—— *At once, at the same time,* Pamodzi; tsopano; tsopano lino. *They all moved off at once,* Anatshoka onse pa modzi.

—— *Do this at once,* Tshita tshimene tsopano lino.

—— *Once for all,* Ntawi imodzi kwa zonse.

One, *a.* Modzi, *with concords. The prefix varies with that of the noun qualified. One man,* Muntu modzi. *One boy,* Nyamata modzi. *One thing,* Tshintu tshimodzi. *One tree,* Ntengo umodzi. *The one, the other,* Uyu-uyo.

Oneness, *n.* Umodzi.

Onion, *n.* Sabola, asabola.

Only, *a. One alone,* -Oka. *The prefix varies with that of the noun qualified. John was the only person present,* Analipo Yohane eka.

—— *This and no other,* Tshimene tshoka. *The only thing,* Tshintu tshoka. *The only thing which I require,* Tshintu tshoka tshomwe difuna.

Ooze, *v. i. To leak out from a vessel,* Ku turukira.

—— *To percolate, as liquid through the pores of a substance,* Ku tsheza.

—— *To ooze out from inward pressure, as milk from the teats of a cow, or perspiration when in large drops from the body,* Ku ka tukuta.

Open, *a. Unclosed, not shut,* -Oseguka *and* -otseguka. *The door is open,* Tshitseko tshitseguka.

—— *Plain, open to all, public, not concealed,* -Oyera.

Open, *v. t.* Ku tsegula. *Open the gates,* Tsegula dzipata.

—— *v. i.* Ku tseguka. *The gate opened of itself,* Tshipata tshitseguka.

Opening, *n. An aperture, a doorway,* Komo, (la) makomo.

—— *An open way without obstructions, as an open passage, or a clear opening through a forest,* Njira yoyera; njira yotseguka.

—— *Commencement, beginning,* Kuamba; kwiamba.

Openly, *adv. Publicly, opposed to secretly,* Poyera.

—— *Plainly, evidently,* Koona.

Openness, *n. Frankness, candour,* Kuona.

Operate, *v. t.* Ku tshita.

—— *surgically,* Ku dula.

Operation, *n. Work,* Ntshito, zintshito.

—— *Surgical,* Kudula.

Opine, *v. i.* Ku ganiza.

Opportunity, *n.* Pofatsa, mafatsa *and* mofatsa.

Oppose, *v. t. To refuse consent,* Ku kana; ku salola.

—— *To stand against, to resist,* Ku kana.

—— *To oppose oneself,* Ku dzikaniza.

—— *To act against, to check,* Ku letsa.

Opposite, *a.* Pandunji (pa).

Opposition, *n.* Kukana, makano.

Oppress, *v. t.* Ku sautsa.

Oppressed, *n. With troubles, overwhelmed with sorrow,* -Ozingalidwa.

Oppression, *n.* Kuzingalitsa.

Opulence, *n.* Kulemera.

Opulent, *a.* -Olemera.

Or, *conj.* Kapena *with affirmative of verb.*

Oracles, *n.* Mau.

Orange, *n.* Lalanje, (la) malalanje.

Oration, *n.* Kugwira moyo.

Orator, *n.* Wogwira moyo, ogwira moyo.
Ordain, *v. t. To appoint, to establish, as a law, custom,* Ku lamula.
—— *To set apart to an office,* Ku loeza.
Order, *v. t. To command, to direct, to charge,* Ku uza.
—— *To order or manage affairs,* Ku weruza.
—— *To set in order, to arrange,* Ku ndandalitsa.
—— *To punish,* Ku langiza.
—— *n. Command,* Uzo, (la) mauzo ; kuuza.
—— *Arrangement,* Kundandaula.
—— *Good,* Kundandalika.
Orderly, *adv. Well,* Bwino.
Ordinance, *n.* Lamulo, (la) malamulo ; kuuza, mauzo ; kufuna, mafuno.
Origin, *n. The commencement,* Kuamba.
—— *Cause of,* Tshifukwa, zifukwa.
Ornament, *v. t. The person by dress,* Ku konza.
—— *By ornaments of any kind,* Ku kopeza.
—— *n. For the person,* Kukonza.
—— *For the neck, as a string of beads,* Tshankosi.
—— *A brilliant or frontlet worn on the forehead,* Mphande, zimphande.
—— *An ear ornament of wood or ivory,* Ndolo, zindolo.
Orphan, *n.* Mpawi, ampawi.
Orphanage, *n. Orphanhood,* Umpawi.
Orphaned, *a.* -Opangidwa mpawi.
Other, *pron.* Ina. *The other path,* Njira ina. *Let us seek other persons,* Tifune antu ena.
Otherwise, *adv.* Kani.
Otter, *n.* Katumbu, akatumbu.
Ought, *v. Bound by moral obligation,* Kaná. *Aux. in verb.*
—— *a. To be fit or proper,* -Bwino.
Our, *pron.* -Atu. *Our house,* Nyumba yatu. *Our words,* Mau atu. *Our servant,* Bandasi watu. *Our children,* Ana atu.
Ourselves, *pron. We, or us, not others,* Ife toka ; ife tomwe. *We did it ourselves,* Tinatshita ife toka.
Out, / **Outside,** } *adv.* Kunja.
—— *To go out,* Ku muka kunja. *He has gone outside,* Wamuka kunja.
Outcast, *n.* Wotaiidwa, otaiidwa. *He is an outcast from his people,* Ali wotaiidwa kwa antu atshi.
Outdo, *v. t. To excel,* Ku pambana, ku pitirira. *Those persons outdo us,* Antu amene apitirira ife.
Outer, *adv. External,* -Akunja.
Outermost, *a.* -Akunja kwa onse.
Outlet, *n.* Kuturukira.
—— *Or mouth of a river or stream,* Gomero, (la) magomero ; tsiriro, (la) matsiriro.
Outrage, *v. t. To treat with violence and wrong,* Ku tshita ndeu ndi ; ku menya.
—— *v. i. To commit violence,* Ku menya.
—— *n.* Ndeu ; kumenyedwa.
Outrun, *v. t.* Ku pitirira ; ku pambana.
Outside, / **Outward,** } *n. The outside things,* Kunja ; panja.
Outstretch, *v. t. To span,* Ku tanda.
Outwardly, *adv.* Kunja.
Over, *adv. Above,* Pamwamba. *The things which hang over us,* Zintu zomwe zipatshika pamwamba pa ife.
—— *On to the other side,* Patsidia lina. *Over the river,* Patsidia lina la ntsinje.
—— *To run over,* Ku sampuka.
—— *To cross over,* Ku yambuka ; ku oloka.
—— *To turn over,* Ku tembenuka.
—— *To turn a thing over,* Ku tembenuza.

Overbear, *v. t. To oppress, to act dogmatically,* Ku zingalitsa; ku sautsa.
—— *To repress, to subdue,* Ku gonjetsa.
Overbearing, *a. Insolent, oppressive,* -*O*zingalitsa.
Overboard, *adv.* Kunja.
Overcast, *v. t. To becloud, to darken,* Ku lemerera; ku gudumiza *and* gudumizira.
—— *p.p. Clouded,* -*O*gudumira.
Overcharged, *a.* -*O*tshuruka *and* -otshiruka.
Overcome, *v. t.* Ku pambana; ku pambanitsa; ku punda.
—— *In war,* Ku gonjetsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku pambanitsidwa.
Overeat, *v. i.* Ku tipidwa.
Overflow, *v. i.* Ku gabvikira.
—— *As a river its banks,* Ku sefukira.
Overhead, *adv.* Pamwamba.
Overhear, *v. i.* Ku mvera.
Overlaid, *a.* -*O*patikidwa.
Overlay, *v. t.* Ku patika.
Overlook, *v. t. To neglect,* Ku sasamala.
—— *As a fault,* Ku leka; ku lekereza.
Overmuch, *adv.* Kwambiri; -otshuruka tshopambana.
Overreach, *v. i.* Ku tshenjerera.
Over-ripe, *a. Dry,* -*O*uma.
Overrule, *v. t.* Ku kanira.
Oversee, *v. t. To superintend,* Ku dondodza; ku yang'anira.
Overseer, *n.* Woyang'anira, oyang'anira.
Overseership, *n.* Udindo, (wa) maudindo.
Overshadow, *v. t.* Ku tsita; ku pimba.
Oversight, *n. Superintendence,* Kudondodza.
—— *Mistake,* Tshimo, (la) matshimo.
Overspread, *v. t. As a running plant,* Ku anga.
—— *To cover the whole person, as sores,* Ku kutikiza; *or a whole population, as a plague,* Ku anda.
Overtake, *v. t.* Ku fikiriza; ku gwira; ku pitirira.
Overthrow, *v. t. To throw down,* Ku gwetsa; ku tembenuza.
—— *To scatter, disperse,* Ku balalitsa.
—— *As a nation,* Ku gonjetsa.
Overturn, *v. i.* Ku pendeka.
—— *v. t.* Ku pendetsa (mpika).
Overwhelm, *v. t. To crush with violence,* Ku tsinja.
—— *To cover, to immerse, as by the waves of the sea,* Ku bvundikiza. *The sea overwhelmed them,* Nyanja yamtshere inabvundikiza awo.
—— *To be overwhelmed with care,* Ku tundumizidwa.
—— *To succumb to sorrow,* Ku gwidwa ndi nsoni. *My heart is overwhelmed with trouble,* Ntima wanga ugwidwa ndi nsoni.
Owe, *v. t. To be indebted,* Ku kala ndi mangawa; ku kong'gola. *You owe me money,* Undikong'gola ndrama.
Owl, *n.* Ngurukutunkutu, agurukutunkutu.
—— *The common owl,* Mantshitshi, amantshitshi.
Own, *v. t. To claim,* Ku tshimikiza; ku kala mwini wa.
—— *To own, or acknowledge,* Ku bvomereza.
Owner, *n.* Mwini, eni. *He is the owner of the house,* Ali mwini wa nyumba.
Ox, *n.* Ng'ombe yamfule, zing'ombe zamfule.

P

P has in Chinyanja the sound of *p* in *pay.*
Pacification, *n. Satisfaction,* Kukwanitsa.
Pacify, *v. t. To satisfy,* Ku teteza.
—— *To appease, to calm, to remove apprehension,* Ku kwimitsa.

Pack, *v. t. To load up,* Ku tsendera.
—— *To place a load or pack on a pack-horse, or on a pack-ox,* Ku senza ; ku patika.
—— *n. As of wolves,* Gulu, (la) magulu ; mpambo, mipambo.
Packet, *n.* Fukutsi, (la) mafukutsi.
Paddle, *n.* Nkafi, zinkafi.
—— *v. t.* Ku palasa.
Pail, *n.* Beket, (la) mabeket.
—— *Milk-pail,* Gangula, zigangula ; tshipande, zipande.
Pain, *n. In general,* Ululu, (wa) maululu ; kupweteka.
—— *A shooting, sharp pain,* Kulasa ; ululu wolasa.
—— *v. i.* Ku awa ; ku pweteka.
—— *v. t.* Ku pwetekesa.
Painful, *a.* -*O*pwetekwa.
Paint, *v. t.* Ku paka.
—— *n.* Utoto, (wa) mautoto.
Painter, *n.* Wopaka, opaka.
Palate, *n. Of mouth,* Kuliraka.
—— *Taste,* Kulawa.
Pale, *a.* -*O*sawa. *Without proper juice, hence anæmic.*
Palisade, *n.* Linga, (la) malinga.
Palm, *n. Palm of the hand,* Tshikato, dzikato.
—— *Cocoanut,* Mangole ; koko, (la) makoko ; ngole, mingole.
—— *Date,* Kanjedza, akanjedza.
—— *Palmyra,* Mvumo, mivumo.
—— *Dwarf,* Mulaza, milaza (*for mats*).
—— *Larger than* mulaza, *with thorns,* Tshing'kwamba, dzing'kwamba.
Palpitate, *v. i. To throb violently,* Ku dumula.
Palpitation, *n. Of any part of the body,* Kudumula. *Of the heart, from excitement,* Kuguguda.
Palsied, *a.* -*A*dzanzi.
Palsy, *n.* (*Agitans*) Dzanzi ; kunjenjemera.
Pan, *n. For cooking,* Pale la mpika.
——*Frying-pan,* Pale, (la) mapale.
Pang, *n.* Kupweteka.
Panic, *n.* Tshintente, dzintente.
Panicstruck, To be, *v. i.* Ku ntentemera.
Pant, *v. i.* Ku befu.
Panther, *n.* Nialugwi, anialugwi.
Panting, *n.* Befu, (la) mabefu.
Pap, *n. Porridge,* Pala, (la) mapala.
—— *Nipple of the breast,* Nkhumbu, zinkhumbu ; bere, (la) mabere.
Paper, *n.* Kalata *and* karata, akarata ; *writing on it,* Nkalata, ankalata.
Papyrus, *n.* Gumbwa, agumbwa.
Parable, *n.* Fanizo, (la) mafanizo.
Paralysed, *a.* -*O*njenjemera.
Paralysis, *n.* Kunjenjemera.
Parasite, *n.* Nsabwe, zinsabwe.
Parcel, *n. Of things, a bundle or bale, truss,* Tumba, (la) matumba ; pukutsi, (la) mapukutsi ; ntolo, mitolo.
—— *v. t. To allot,* Ku gawa.
Parch, *v. t. As corn on the fire for eating,* Ku otsha.
—— *To dry up by placing near the fire,* Ku pyetsa *and* ku psetsa.
—— *By the sun,* Ku tshita tshilala. *The ground is parched,* Dziko latshita tshilala.
Parched, *p.p. To be parched, thirsty,* Ku kala ndi ludzu ; ku mva ludzu.
—— **corn,** *n.* Dzimanga dzootsha.
Parchment, *n.* Tshikopa, dzikopa.
Pardon, *v. t.* Ku kululukira.
—— *n.* Kukululukira.
Pare, *v. t. To pare off the outside,* Ku enga.
—— *To pare bark from a tree,* Ku kaula (kungwa la mtengo).
—— *To pare the edge of anything,* Ku tseteka.
—— *To pare the nails,* Ku tseteka (dzikabado).
Parings, *n. Of a hide when being dressed,* Tshipe, dzipe ; dzipe dza dzikopa ; lamba lotsala, malamba otsala.

Parrot, *n.* Tshinkwe, dzinkwe.
Parry, *v. t.* *To ward off or avoid a blow,* Ku lewa.
Parsimony, *n.* Kuumira.
Part, *n.* *Of a whole, fragment,* Pande, (la) mapande.
—— *Parts of a country, denoting locality,* Malo.
—— *v. t.* *To remove,* Ku sunta.
—— *v. i.* *From internal action, to fall apart,* Ku nyokotoka.
—— *To part from another person or thing,* Ku leka ; ku lekana.
—— *To divide.* Ku gawa.
Partake, *v. t.* *To receive a part of, to share,* Ku gawa ndi.
—— *To partake of the Lord's Supper,* Ku dia kwa ngonero wa Mwini.
Partaker, *n.* *Sharer,* Wogawana *and* wogaana (*also contracted* wogana), ogaana.
Partial, *a.* -*A*ng'ono.
Partiality, *n.* Kuanja (*favour*).
Partially, *adv.* Pang'ono. *He has partially recovered,* Watshira pang'ono.
Participation, *n.* Kugawana.
—— *Communion,* Unzatshi.
Parting, *n.* Kutsazika.
—— *Dividing,* Kugawa.
—— *Dividing among a party,* Kugawana.
—— *Departure from one another,* Kulekana.
Partition, *n.* *Division,* Kugawa ; kugawana.
—— *A partition in a house to hide from view any part thereof,* Tshodulitsa, dzodulitsa ; kugawa.
Partly, *adv.* Kwapande ; kogawa ; kwina.
Partner, *n.* *An associate,* Wogawa, ogawa.
Partridge, *n.* Nkwali, zinkwali.
Pass, *v. t.* *To pass by,* Ku pita.
—— *To pass by, avoid,* Ku lambalala.
—— *To pass by one another, as in a narrow place,* Ku pambukana.
Pass, *v. t.* *To pass over, to go beyond,* Ku pita patsidia lidya.
—— *To pass over or through a river,* Ku yambuka *and* ambuka ; ku oloka.
—— *To pass on purposely,* Ku pitirira.
—— *To pass over, as a fault,* Ku lekereza.
—— *To pass through a locality or country,* Ku enda pakati pa. *We passed through the land,* Tinaenda pakati pa dziko.
—— *n.* *A narrow pass through a mountain,* Mpata, mipata.
—— *A narrow strait,* Mpata, mipata.
—— *A pass or way through a forest or jungle,* Bande, (la) maande.
Passage, *n.* Njira, zinjira.
—— *Entrance to an enclosure,* Komo, (la) makomo.
Passion, *n.* *Anger,* Kukwiira.
—— *Agitation or excitement of mind,* Kukwia ; kusekera.
—— Eager desire, Ku funitsa, mafunitso. *He has a passion for cattle,* Ali ndi kufunitsa kwa ng'ombe.
The verb Ku funitsa, '*To strongly desire,*' *is often used. She has a passion for fine clothes,* Afunitsa nsaru zabwino.
—— *Suffering,* Kumva. (*Death,* imfa.)
—— *The passions,* Kukonda, makondo; funo, mafuno.
—— *Nature,* Makalidwe.
Passionate, *a.* -*O*kwia.
—— *An irascible, passionate man,* -*A*nkali ; -ankarwe.
Passover, *n.* Mpasika.
Past, *p.p.* -*A*pita. *The time is past,* Ntawi yapita.
—— *prep.* Kali. *In the past,* Mwa kali.
—— *Beyond, without,* -*O*panda.
—— *Beyond, of distance,* -*O*pambana.
Paste, *v. t.* Ku patika ; ku paka.

Paste, *n.* Tshopatikira, dzopatikira; tshomatira, dzomatira.
Pastime, *n.* Sewero, (la) masewero.
Pastor, *n.* Mbusa, abusa.
Pasturage, Pasture, *n. Consisting of long old grass,* Busa, (la) mabusa; udzu, maudzu.
—— *Young new grass,* Pobvu, (wa) mipobvu.
—— *Pasturage in general,* Udzu, (wa) maudzu.
—— *v. t. To feed cattle on grass,* Ku eta ng'ombe ndi maudzu.
Patch, *n. Of cloth or calico,* Tshigamba, dzigamba.
—— *v. t.* Ku taia *and* ku ika tshigamba.
Pate, *n.* Mutu, mitu.
Path, *n. An open path,* Njira, zinjira.
—— *A narrow path on a high ridge, with a precipice on either side,* Njira ya papiri; njira ya pamutu wa piri.
—— *A path through a forest or jungle,* Njira ya nkalango; njira ya padambo.
Patience, *n. Endurance without murmuring,* Kulongosola.
—— *The bearing injuries without anger or revenge,* Kupirira.
Patient, *a. Not easily provoked, bearing affliction or pain without murmuring,* -Olongosoka. *A person patient under his suffering,* Muntu wolongosoka.
—— *Patient under provocation or injuries,* -Olongoloza. *God is patient towards sinners,* Mulungu ali wolongoloza ndi ampulupulu.
—— *Suffering,* -Akumava.
—— *v. i. To be patient or forbearing towards a person,* Ku longosoka.
Patiently, *adv.* Kolongosola.
Patriarch, *n.* Mbuye wang'kuru, ambuye akuru.
Patter, *v. t. As falling drops of rain or hail,* Ku donta, ku gwa.
Patter, *n. Of children's feet, or of dogs' feet,* Ndidi, mididi; kudonta.
Pattern, *n. Copy,* Sonyezo, (la) masonyezo.
Pavilion, *n. A tent,* Tente, (la) matente.
Paw, *n. Of beasts of prey,* Pazi, (la) mapazi.
—— *v. t. To scratch or scrape up the earth, as a hen or dog,* Ku kumba; ku palapasa.
Pay, *v. t. To discharge a debt,* Ku lipa; ku lipira; ku pereka.
—— *To pay for, as a fine, to make amends,* Ku lipira.
—— *n. Wages or reward,* Lipiro, (la) malipiro; lipo, (la) malipo.
—— *A fine,* Kutapa; tapo, (la) matapo.
Payment, *n.* Kulipira. (*Repayment,* Kubweza.)
Peace, *n.* Ntendere, mitendere.
—— *To be at peace,* Ku kala ndi ntendere. *The country is at peace,* Dziko likala ndi ntendere.
—— *To make peace,* Ku letsetsa.
—— *To be at peace with each other,* Ku kalana ndi ntendere.
Peaceable, *a.* -Antendere.
Peacemaker, *n.* Woletsetsa, oletsetsa.
Peak, *n.* Mutu, mitu; nsonga, zinsonga.
Pebblestone, *n.* Kulungu, zinkulungu.
Peck, *v. i. As a bird,* Ku gompa.
Peel, *v. i. To peel off, as the skin after a burn,* Ku myuka.
—— *v. t. With a knife or other instrument, as rind from a pumpkin, or bark from a tree,* Ku enga.
—— *As feathers off a fowl, or hair off a pig,* Ku tsupula.
—— *To peel off the corn from a cob of maize,* Ku tongola. *To peel or strip off, as the leaves from a corn stalk,* Ku pulula.
—— *n.* Koko, (la) makoko.
Peep, *v. i.* Ku suzumira.
—— *Forth, as a bud,* Ku turuka.

Peeper, *n.* Wosuzumira, osuzumira.
Peg, *n.* Nsomali, misomali.
—— *v. t. To peg out a skin by fastening it to the ground with wooden pegs to dry,* Ku koma (tshikopa).
Pen, *n.* Pene, (la) mapene.
—— *v. t. To write,* Ku lemba.
Penalty, *n.* Kulanga.
Penetrate, *v. i. To enter,* ku loa.
—— *To pierce,* ku pyoza.
Penetration, *n.* Kuloa; kupyoza.
Penitence, *n.* Kulapa.
Penitent, *a.* Wolapa, olapa.
—— *-O*lapa.
Penny, *n.* Peni, (la) mapeni.
Pensive, *a. Thoughtful, -O*ganiza.
Pensiveness, *n.* Kuganiza.
Pentecost, *n.* Pentekoste.
Penury, *n. Want,* Kusauka.
People, *n.* Antu.
Peradventure, *n.* Kapena; tsono; kungokala.
Perceive, *v. i. To see, to behold,* Ku onekera; ku ona.
—— *To have an apprehension of, to understand,* Ku dziwa.
—— *To discern, to be impressed respecting a thing or person from circumstances,* Ku dziwitsa.
Perception, *n.* Kudziwitsa.
Perdition, *n. Destruction,* Kumwaza; kumwazika. *Son of perdition,* Mwana wa kumwazika.
Perfect, *v. t. To complete,* Ku ta; ku tetsa.
—— *To fulfil,* Ku dzaza; ku kwanira.
—— *a. -A*kuta; *-o*tanditu; *-o*koma nditu.
Perfected, *p.p. -O*tedwe.
Perfection, *n.* Kuta; kudzaza; kukwanira.
Perfectly, *adv.* Kota; kota nditu.
Perforate, *v. t.* Ku pyoza.
Perforation, *n.* Mpsyoza, zimpsyoza.
Perforce, *a.* Ndi mpamvu; *-o*pangidwa.
Perform, *v. t.* Ku tshita.
Performance, *n.* Kutshita; ntshito, zintshito.
Perfume, *v. t. To perfume the body or an apartment,* Ku nung'kitsa.
—— *n. A perfume obtained from herbs or shrubs,* Fungo, (la) mafungo.
Perhaps, *adv.* Kapena.
Peril, *n.* Madzidzi (*refers more to the escape from peril*); panikizo, mapanikizo.
Perilous, *a. In peril, -O*setsherezwa; *-a*madzidzi.
Perish, *v. i. To die,* Ku fa; ku mwazika.
—— *To wither and decay as plants,* Ku uma; ku fa.
—— *To waste away,* Ku mwaza.
—— *Of body,* Ku onong'eka.
—— *To be extirpated, to fail entirely,* Ku mwaza.
—— *As weeds,* Ku taiidwa.
—— *To perish eternally,* Ku mwazika kosamariza.
Perjure, *v. t.* Ku namiza. (*By being confused,* Ku sokaniza.)
Perjurer, *n.* Wosinjirira, osinjirira.
Permission, *n.* Kulola; bvomerezo, (la) mabvomerezo.
—— *To ask,* Ku tsazika.
Permit, *v. t.* Ku loleza; ku lola; ku bvomera.
Perpetual, *a. -O*samariza. *A perpetual covenant,* Kupangana kosamariza. *A perpetual fountain,* Kasope watshizizi.
—— *Perpetual action,* Kuenda kosata kwa dzua.
Perpetually, *adv.* Kosamariza; kosata.
Perplex, *v. t. To make intricate,* Ku sing'kasing'ka.
—— *To confuse in mind,* Ku sokaniza.
—— *To embarrass, to annoy, to tease,* Ku bvuta; ku puta.
Perplexed, *a. -O*sing'kasing'ka.

Perplexed, *v. To be perplexed,* Ku ntentemera; ku ganizaganiza.
—— *To be perplexed one's self,* Ku dzising'kasing'ka.
Perplexity, *n. Trouble,* Kusautsa; sautso, (la *and* ya) masautso.
—— *Doubt and anxiety as to the proper course of action, causing hesitancy or indecision of action,* Kusing'kasing'ka; kuganizaganiza.
Persecute, *v. t.* Ku zunza; ku zunzitsa.
Persecuted, *a.* -*O*zunzidwa.
Persecution, *n.* Zunzo, (la) mazunzo; nkarwe, zinkarwe; sautso, (ya) masautso; kusautswa.
Persecutor, *n.* Wozunza, ozunza.
Persevere, *v. i. To bear up under difficulties,* Ku yesa; ku yesabe.
—— *To persist in an enterprise,* Ku yesayesa.
Perseverance, *n.* Kuyesabe.
Persist, *v. i.* Ku kana.
Persistency, *n. Obstinacy,* Ku kana.
Person, *n.* Muntu.
—— *Individual person,* Muntu modzi.
—— *Himself or herself,* Ie eka.
—— *Themselves,* Awo oka.
—— *Myself,* Ine ndeka.
—— *Thyself,* Iwe eka *and* iwe weka.
Personal, *a.* -*A*ine, -*a*ie, *etc.*
Personally, *Applied to the second person by reflexives,* Iwe weka; *to the third person,* Ie eka; *to the first person singular,* Ine ndeka. *He was there personally,* Anali apo ie eka.
Persons, *n.* Antu.
Perspiration, *n.* Tukuta, (la) matukuta.
Perspire, *v. i.* Ku dza tukuta; ku ka tukuta; ku tukutira.
Persuade, *v. t.* Ku kantshizira; ku mveretsa; ku limbikitsa.
Persuasion, *n.* Kukantshizira kuyerekeza.
Persuasive, *a.* -*O*kantshizira; -*o*yerekeza.
Persuasiveness, *n.* Kukantshizira.
Pert, *a. Lively, brisk, smart,* -*O*gangalama.
—— *Forward, saucy,* -*A*punzo.
Pertaining to. -A, *which is the preposition 'of' with the corresponding concord.*
Pertly, *adv.* Kogangalama; kwapunzo.
Perusal, *n.* Kuwerengetsa *and* kuwerenga.
Peruse, *v. t.* Ku werengetsa.
Perverse, *a.* -*O*sasamala.
—— *Wicked, impertinent,* -*A*tshipongwe.
Perversely, *adv.* Kosasamala.
Perverseness, *n.* Kusasamala.
—— *Impertinence,* Tshipongwe, dzipongwe.
Perversion, *n.* Kutembenuza.
Pervert, *v. t. To turn from truth,* Ku tembenuza; ku koketsa.
—— *To turn from the right way,* Ku sotshereza.
Perverted, *a. or p.p.* -*O*tembenuza; -*o*sotshereza; -*o*tembenuzidwa.
Pestilence, *n.* Tshaola, dzaola.
Pestilent, *a.* -*A*tshaola.
—— *Troublesome,* -*O*bvuta.
Pestilential, *a.* -*A*tshaola; -*a*muliri.
Pestle, *n.* Nsi, minsi.
Pet, *a.* -*O*kondedwa.
—— *n.* Kondwa, (la) makondwa.
Petition, *n.* Kupempa; pempo, (la) mapempo. *The Lord grant thee thy petition,* Yehova apatse iwe kupempa kwako.
—— *v. t.* Ku pempera.
Phial, *n.* Nsupa, zinsupa.
Philosophy, *n.* Kukondanzeru.
Phlegm, *n.* Makololo.
Phrensy, *n.* Kukwia.
Physic, *n.* Mankwala.
Physician, *n.* Sing'anga, asing'anga.

Physique, *a.* Untu.
Pick, *v. t.* *To choose,* Ku sang'ka.
—— *To pick up a thing from the ground,* Ku tola.
—— *To find and pick up a lost thing,* Ku peza ; ku tola.
—— *To pick at food,* Ku nyanyata.
—— *To pick with a pick-axe,* Ku kumba.
—— *To pluck fruit,* Ku tsha.
—— *To pick with a hoe in digging,* Ku kumba.
—— *To hoe deep,* Ku bandula.
—— *To pick or break up new ground for cultivation,* Ku lima.
—— *To pick the teeth,* Ku zula (mano).
—— *To pick a quarrel,* Ku tshandeu.
—— *n.* *A piece of wood sharpened as one,* Tsokoto, mitsokoto.
Piece, *n.* Tshipinjiri, zipinjiri.
Pierce, *v. t.* *To pierce the body as with a spear or knife,* Ku lasa.
—— *To pierce through, to bore,* Ku bola.
—— *To pierce the ear for receiving earrings,* Ku poola.
Pierced, *a.* -*O*lasidwa.
—— *Pierced through,* -*O*boledwa ; -opooledwa.
Piety, *n.* Kupembedza.
Pig, *n.* *Domestic pig,* Nkumba, ankumba.
—— *Wild pig of the forest,* Nguruwe, anguruwe. (*Young,* Mwana wa nguruwe.)
—— *Wild pig of the open country, wart hog,* Njiri, anjiri.
Pigeon, *n.* *Domestic,* Nkhunda, zinkhunda.
—— *Wood pigeon,* Njiwa, zinjiwa ; katumbudzu, akatumbudza.
Pile, *v. t.* *To heap up,* Ku unjika.
—— *n.* Mulu, miulu.
—— *A pile of firewood,* Mulu wa nkuni, miulu ya nkuni.
Pilfer, *v. t.* Ku funta.
Pilgrim, *n.* Mlendo, alendo.
Pillage, *n.* *Spoil, booty,* Tshankondo, dzankondo.
Pillage, *v. t.* *To plunder,* Ku pasula.
Pillar, *n.* *Support of the roof of a native hut, or of a house, Mzati and* nzati ; mizati.
—— *Verandah post,* Nsanamira, zinsanamira.
Pillow, *n.* *The wooden pillow used as a support to the head by the natives in sleep,* Ntsamiro, mitsamiro.
—— *v. t.* Ku tsamira.
Pillowed, *a.* *Laid,* -*O*tsamira.
Pimple, *n.* *On the skin,* Tshibubu, dzibubu.
Pin, *n.* Pine, (la) mapine.
Pinch, *v. t.* *The person,* Ku tsina ; ku puta.
—— *To pinch off in small pieces, as bread from the loaf,* Ka nyotsola.
—— *To act with pressing force,* Ku sindikiza.
—— *n.* *Pressure, oppression,* Sautso, (la *and* ya) masautso.
Pinched, *a.* *Straightened,* -*O*onyoletsedwa.
Pincher, *n.* Wotsina, otsina.
Pinchers, *n.* Mbano, zimbano.
Pinchfist, *n.* *Miser,* Woumira oumira.
Pinchingly, *adv.* Kosindikiza.
Pincushion, *n.* Tshosungira mapine.
Pine, *v. t.* *To languish,* Ku foka.
—— *To wear away,* Ku onda.
Pineapple, *n.* Nanasi *and* nanazi, *and* tshinanazi, dzinanazi.
Pinion, *n.* *Wing,* Piko, (la) mapiko.
Pink-coloured, *a.* -*O*yezuka ; -*oe*zuka (*also yellow, of calf leather binding*).
Pinnacle, *n.* Tshimbudzi, dzimbudzi.
Pip, *n.* *The seed of fruit, as of an apple,* Tanga, (ya) zintanga.
Pipe, *n.* *Smoking pipe,* Tshikololo, dzikololo ; kalio, akalio.
—— *Bhang-pipe,* Ngunda, zingunda.

Pipe, *n.* *A long tube,* Mphanda, zimphanda.
—— *A musical instrument, flute,* Mulumbwi, milumbwi.
—— *v. i.* Ku omba mulumbwi.
Piss, *v. i.* Ku kodza.
Pistol, *n.* Mfuti yeing'ono.
Pit, *n.* Dzenje, maenje.
Pitch, *v. t.* *To throw,* Ku ponya.
—— *Pitch a tent,* Ku manga tente.
Pitcher, *n.* *Water pitcher or jar,* Ntsuko, mitsuko; mbia, zimbia.
Pitfall, *n.* Mbuna, zimbuna.
Pith, *n.* *The soft substance in the centre of trees and plants,* Tshitima, dzitima.
—— *Strength, vigour,* Mpamvu, zimpamvu.
Pithily, *adv.* Kwampamvu.
Pithiness, *n.* Mpamvu.
Pithless, *a.* -*O*panda mpamvu.
Pithy, *a.* -*A*fupi.
Pitiful, *a.* -*A*nsoni.
Pitifully, *adv.* Kwansoni.
Pity, *n.* Nsoni.
—— *v. t.* *To feel pain or grief for one in distress,* Ku mva nsoni; ku kala ndi nsoni; ku kala ndi nsisi; ku tengera nsoni.
Place, *n.* Malo; mbuto, zimbuto.
—— *v. t.* *To put in a particular place,* Ku ika; ku kalitsa.
—— *To give place to,* Ku patsa malo.
Placenta, *n.* Libadzi, (la) malibadzi; tshibaliro.
Plague, *n.* *That which is troublesome or vexatious* Bvuto (la) mabvuto.
—— *A pestilential disease,* Muliri, miliri.
—— *v. t.* Ku bvuta; ku ika muliri.
Plague-stricken person, *n.* Muliri, amuliri.
Plain, *n.* *A flat piece of country,* Dambo, (la) madambo; nsenga, zinsenga.
—— *a.* *Smooth, even, level,* -*O*salala.
—— *Not obscure, manifest,* -*O*yera. *This thing is quite clear and manifest,* Tshintu tshimene tshiri tshoyera.
Plainly, *adv.* *Evidently,* Koona.
Plainness, *n.* Kuona; kuyera.
Plaintiff, *n.* Mboni, zimboni.
Plaintive, *a.* -*A*soni.
Plaintively, *adv.* Kwasoni.
Plait, *v. t.* Ku luka.
Plaiting, *n.* Kuluka.
Plan, *n.* *Of house,* Kuyerekeza.
—— *v. t.* *To arrange,* Ku ambirira.
Plane, *n.* Kusalaza.
—— *v. t.* Ku pala; ku fafaniza.
Plank, *n.* Tabwa, (la) matabwa.
Plant, *n.* Mbeu, zimbeu; meia, mimera.
—— *v. t.* *As trees,* Ku oka.
—— *To dibble,* Ku bzala.
Plantain, *n.* Lundu, alundu.
Plaster, *v. t.* Ku mata.
—— *n.* Dote, (la) madote.
Plat, *n.* Lamba, (la) malamba.
—— *Of hair,* Litiwo, (la) malitiwo.
Plate, *n.* Mbale, zimbale.
Play, *v. i.* *To sport, as a game,* Ku sewera.
—— *To play on a musical instrument, as a flute,* Ku omba tshiteta.
—— *n.* Kusewera, masewero.
Plaything, *n.* Tshosewera, dzosewera.
Plead, *v. i.* *To supplicate,* Ku pempa.
—— *v. t.* *To plead on behalf of another,* Ku gwira moyo.
Pleasant, *a.* *To the taste,* -*A*bwino.
—— *Sweet,* -*O*setshemera.
—— *Cheerful, enlivening,* -*O*seketsa.
Pleasantly, *adv.* Kwabwino; koseka; kosekera; kosekeretsa.
Pleasantness, *n.* Ubwino; kusekera.
Please, *v. t.* *To excite agreeable sensations,* Ku seketsa.
—— *To satisfy, to content,* Ku seketsa.

Pleasure, *n.* Kusekera. *The verb* Ku seketsa; ku sekeretsa, '*to give pleasure,*' *is used. That gives me pleasure,* Tshimene tshisekeretsa ine.
Pledge, *n.* Tshoimika, dzoimika.
—— *v. t.* Ku imika.
Pleiades, *n.* *The constellation thus named,* Nsangwe, zinsangwe.
Plenteous, *a.* -*A*mbiri; -otshuruka.
Plenteousness, *n.* Kutshuruka.
Plentiful, *a.* -*A*mbiri; -otshuruka. *A plentiful rain,* Mvula yambiri.
Plentifully, *adv.* Kotshuruka.
Plenty, *n.* Kutshuruka.
Pliable, *a.* -*O*tepa.
—— *v. i.* Ku tepa.
Plod, *v. i.* *At work,* Ku polama =*to bend at work.*
Plot, *n.* *Of ground,* Tshirere, dzirere.
—— *Site of a house,* Tshiza, dziza; Tshiza tsha nyumba.
—— *A garden,* Munda, minda.
—— *Conspiracy,* Kunje, (la) makunje.
—— *v. i.* *To scheme, to devise,* Ku ganiza.
—— *To conspire,* Ku gwirizana.
Plough, *v. t.* Ku kusa.
—— *n.* Tshokoketsa.
Ploughman, *n.* Wokusa, okusa.
Pluck, *v. t.* *To pluck fruit,* Ku tsha.
—— *To pluck up by the roots,* Ku zula; ku topola.
—— *To pluck up so as to destroy,* Ku zula.
—— *To pluck out, as the hair of the head,* Ku totola tsisi.
—— *To pluck feathers from a bird or fowl,* Ku kudzula.
—— *After dipping in water,* Ku tsupula.
—— *To pluck or gather leaves from stalks or trees,* Ku pulula.
—— *As ears of corn,* Ku kadzula.
—— *To rob, to grasp,* Ku landa.
Plug, *n.* Tshisuputi, dzisuputi; tshotseka, dzotseka.
—— *v. t.* Ku tseka.
Plumage, *n.* Ntenga, zintenga.
Plume, *n.* Tsumba, (la) matsumba; sumba, (la) masumba.
—— *v. i.* *To plume oneself,* Ku dzitama.
Plunder, *v. t.* Ku sakaza *and* sakasa.
—— *n.* Tshosakazidwa, dzosakazidwa.
Plunderer, *n.* Wosakaza, osakaza.
Plunge, *v. i.* *Into water,* Ku bira.
—— *To plunge as a horse,* Ku palasira.
—— *v. t.* *Into water,* Ku biza.
Pock, *n.* *Of smallpox,* Ntomba imodzi.
Pod, *n.* Koko, (la) makoko.
Poet, *n.* Wopanga nyimbo, opanga nyimbo.
Point, *n.* Nsonga, zinsonga.
—— *v. t.* *To sharpen to a point,* Ku songola.
—— *v. i.* *To point out a place,* Ku sonya.
—— *To direct a person to a place by pointing it out,* Ku sonyeza.
—— *To point towards a place with the finger,* Ku sonya.
—— *To point out, to specify,* Ku uza; ku sonya.
Pointed, *a.* -*O*songoledwa.
Poison, *n.* Mlodzi *and* ulodzi. *Literally, the thing which bewitches or kills.*
—— *v. t.* Ku lodza.
—— **ordeal.** Mwave, *which is the bark of a leguminous tree* (*Erythrophloeum Guineense*). *At Bandawe the Atonga use part of a bush or shrub called* masai, *as an emetic to counteract a dose of* mwave. *Along with* masai *they often mix a kind of black earth or mould called* ulambwe.

Poisonous, *a.* *A*kufa.
Poke, *v. t.* *To thrust at with the horns, as an ox,* Ku gwamula.
—— *As a child another with finger for fun,* Ku timbwinya; Ku tosa (*more to touch*).
Pole, *n.* Ntengo, mitengo.
—— *As a support to the roof of a native hut,* Mzati, mizati.
—— *As a bar for closing the cattle or calves' fold,* Tshitsekero dzitsekero.
Polish, *v. t.* *To brighten,* Ku ng'azimitsa.
—— *To smooth to a polished surface,* Ku salaza.
—— *n.* Kung'azimitsa.
—— *Glaze a vessel by polishing before burning,* Ku kulunga.
Polite, *a.* -*A*ulemu.
Pollute, *v. t.* *To defile,* Ku nyansa.
—— *To pervert from righteousness,* Ku ipitsa.
Pollutions, *n.* Tshonyansa, dzonyansa; tshoipitsa, dzoipitsa; kudetsa.
Pomade, *n.* Mafuta.
Pomp, *n.* *Show,* Kuyerekera.
Pond, *n.* Tamanda, (la) matamanda.
Ponder, *v. i.* *To view attentively and with deliberation,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To weigh things in the mind,* Ku ganiza; ku ganizaganiza. *Mary pondered all these things in her heart,* Mariya . . . naaganizaganiza mutima mwatshi.
Ponderous, *a.* -*O*lemera; -*a*kuru.
Ponderousness, *n.* Kulemera; ukuru.
Poniard, *n.* Mpeni wa tshilope.
—— *v. t.* Ku lasa.
Pool, *n.* Tawali, (la) matawali.
—— *A small muddy pool,* Tshikapwira, dzikapwira.
Poor, *a.* *Indigent,* -*O*sauka. *A poor man,* Muntu wosauka.
—— *n.* Wosauka, osauka; wampawi, ampawi.
Poorly, *adv.* Kosauka.
Porch, *n.* *Built of stone, etc.* Tshiguo, dziguo.
—— Balanda, (la) mabalanda.
Porcupine, *n.* Nungu, anungu.
Pork, *n.* Porke.
Porridge, *n.* Nsima, zinsima.
Portal, *n.* *Gate,* Tshipata, dzipata.
Porter, *n.* *Of a gate,* Tsatshipata, atsatshipata.
—— *One who carries baggage,* Wakatundu, akatundu.
Portion, *n.* Gawo, (la) magawo; kugawa.
—— *Part,* Pande, (la) mapande.
Pose, *v. t.* Ku danyama.
Possess, *v. t.* Ku kala ndi; ku li ni; ku potshera.
—— *He possesses wisdom,* Ali ndi nzeru.
Possessed, *a.* -*O*gwidwa ndi; -opotsheredwa ndi.
Possession, *n.* *An inheritance,* Kuloa.
—— *Goods,* Kupotshera.
—— *n.* *Of God,* Kwatshi kwa Mulungu.
—— *To take possession of a thing,* Ku loa; ku tenga.
—— *To take possession forcibly,* Ku landa.
—— *To enter on the possession of a house,* Ku loa.
Possessor, *n.* Wopotshera, opotshera.
—— *Owner,* Mwini, eni.
Possible, To be, *v.* Ku teka, ku ta. *If it were possible,* Ngati adziwa ku ta.
Post, *n.* *Of timber,* Panda, (la) mapanda (*generally with fork on one end*).
——*Door-post,* Ntsitshi, zintsitshi.
Posteriors, *n.* Tako, (la) matako.
Posterity, *n.* Ana.
Posture, *n.* Makalidwe.
Pot, *n.* *Clay cooking-pot,* Mpika, mipika.

Pot, *n.* *Baking pot,* Mpika wootshera, mipika yootshera.
—— *A round pot with concave bottom standing on three legs,* Mpika wa miendo, mipika ya miendo.
—— *Water-pot, n.,* Ntsuko, mi tsuko; mbia, zimbia.
Potatoes, *n.* Poteto.
—— *Sweet potatoes,* Batata, zimbatata.
Pot-belly, *n.* Tshimimba, atshimimba; tshipfu, dzipfu.
Potentate, *n.* Wotshuka, otshuka.
Pot-lid. Tshibvundikilo, dzibvundikilo.
Potsherd, *n.* Pale, (la) mapale.
Pottage, *n.* *of meal,* Nsima, zinsima.
Potter, *n.* Woomba mpika, oomba mpika *and* wakuomba mpika, akuomba mpika.
Poultry, *n.* Zinkuku.
Pound, *n.* *In weight,* Poundi, mapoundi.
—— *v. t.* *To beat so as to crush,* Ku tibula.
—— *In a mortar,* Ku sinja.
Pour, *v. t.* *To pour out or throw on the ground,* Ku taia *and* ku taya.
—— *To pour into a vessel,* Ku tsanulira.
—— *To pour into a bottle or calabash,* Ku tsanulira; ku tsira.
—— *To pour milk from a calabash, or native milk sack,* Ku tsanula.
—— *To pour out gently in small quantities,* Ku tsanula.
—— **off.** Ku pungula.
Pout, *v. i.* Ku nyodola.
Poverty, *n.* Kusauka; usautshi.
Powder, *n.* *Gunpowder,* Wonga, (wa) mawonga.
—— *Dust,* Fumbi, (la) mafumbi.
—— *The thing ground,* Kopereka.
Powdered, *a.* *-O*tibulidwa.
Powderhorn, *n.* Liwengwa, (la) maliwengwa.
Power, *n.* Mpamvu, zimpamvu.
—— *Authority,* Mvanu.
Powerful, *a.* *-A*mpamvu.
Powerfully, *adv.* Kolimba; ndi mpamvu; kwampamvu.
Practical, *a.* *-A*ntshito.
Practically, *adv.* Kwantshito.
Practice, *n.* *Performance,* Kutshita.
—— *Customary action,* Makalidwe. *It is his practice to do so,* Ali makalidwe atshi ku tshita tshointshi.
Practise, *v. i.* Ku tshita; ku yesayesa.
Praise, *n.* Ulemu; kulemekeza; kutama.
—— *v. t.* Ku lemekeza; ku tama; ku yamika (*to be grateful*); ku simba (*to approve*).
Prance, *v. i.* *As a horse,* Ku simbwa.
Prancing, *n.* Kusimbwa.
Prank, *n.* Jenje, (la) majenje.
—— *v. t.* Ku tshita jenje.
Prattle, *v. i.* *To be loquacious,* Ku wereweta.
—— *n.* Ku wereweta.
Pray, *v. t.* Ku pempera.
Prayer, *n.* Pempero, (la) mapempero.
Prayerful, *a.* *-A*kupempera; -opempera.
Preach, *v. t.* Ku uza.
Preacher, *n.* Wouza, ouza.
Preaching, *n.* Kuuza.
Precaution, *n.* Kutshenjeza.
Precede, *v. i.* Ku pita patsogolo.
Precent, *v. i.* Ku tsheula.
Precentor, *n.* Wotsheula, otsheula.
Precept, *n.* Mwambi, miambi; mau.
Preceptor, *n.* Mpunzitsi, apunzitsi.
Precious, *a.* *-O*lemera. *Precious things,* Tsholemera, dzolemera.
Precipice, *n.* Phompo, (la) maphompo.

Precipitancy, *n.* *Sudden haste,* Kudzidzimuka. (*As a snake falling in the midst of a company, and they running off.*)
—— *Rashness in action,* Kudzedzeduka.
Precipitant, *a.* -*O*dzidzimuka; -odzedzeduka.
Precipitantly, *adv.* Kwatshangu; kodzidzimuka.
Precipitate, *v. t.* *To hasten with nervous haste,* Ku dzidzimuka.
—— *To cast down as from a height,* Ku tsitsa.
—— *As a chemical substance,* Ku sitsa.
Predict, *v. t.* *Foretell events,* Ku losa.
—— *To predict evil of a person,* Ku laulira.
Pre-eminence, *n.* Kupitirira; kupambana.
Pre-eminent, *a.* -*O*pitirira.
Prefer, *v. t.* Ku sang'kula; ku funa kopambana.
Preference, *n.* Kusang'kula; (*favour*) kuanja.
Preferred, *v.* Ku ikidwa patsogolo; ku tsogozedwa.
Pregnancy, *n.* Mimba, zimimba.
Pregnant, *a.* *With child,* -*A*mimba; ndi mimba.
Prejudice, *n.* *Preference,* Kuanja.
—— *Malice, bias,* Dano, (la) madano.
Prepare, *v. i.* *To make ready,* Ku konza; ku fotokoza. *Prepare ye the way of the Lord,* Fotokozani njira ya Mwini.
—— *To prepare for,* Ku konzera.
—— *To prepare for a journey,* Ku tsotsa. *I go to prepare a place for you,* Ding'ka ku konzetsa malo kwa inu.
—— *To prepare the site for a house by levelling it,* Ku lambula.
Prepuce, *n.* *The foreskin,* Kungu la boro.
Presbytery, *n.* Gulu la akuru.
Presence, *n.* Nkope, zinkope; patsogolo pa; kuona. *In the presence of the chief,* Patsogolo pa fumu.
Present, *a.* *Present time,* Tsopano. Po, *with the subs. verb* ku li, '*to be,*' *is used.* *He is present,* Alipo.
—— *v. t.* *To give,* Ku ning'ka kwa ulere; ku perekeza; ku patsa.
—— *To place or lay before a person,* Ku ika patsogolo; ku tsogoza (*of a person*).
—— *n.* *A gift,* Ulere, (wa) maulere; tshaulere, dzaulere.
—— *For the present,* Kwa ntawi yatsopano.
Presently, *adv.* *At this present time,* Tsopano.
—— *Immediately,* Tsopano lino.
Preserve, *v. t.* *To preserve from evil,* Ku sungitsa.
—— *To take care of,* Ku sunga.
—— *To conserve, as fruit,* Ku konzetsa.
Preserves, *n.* Zokonzetsedwa.
Press, *v. t.* *To squeeze,* Ku psinya; ku tshindikiza; ku tshimikiza.
—— *To urge, to press a person to some service or course of action,* Ku fulumiza; ku kantshizira.
—— *As a saw,* Ku pana; ku panikiza.
—— *As a crowd,* Ku titimizana.
—— *Down, as grain into a bag,* Ku sendera; ku sindikiza.
—— **on.** Ku fulumiza.
—— *n.* *Crowd,* Kutitimizana.
—— *Shelf, cupboard,* Tsanja, (la) matsanja.
—— *An instrument for pressing,* Mbano zimbano.
Pretence, *n.* Tshonyenga, dzonyenga; tshinyengo, dzinyengo.
Pretend, *v. i.* *To conceal the real intention,* Ku nyenga.
—— *To offer as a present while not wishing the person to take it,* Ku siriza.
—— *Feign,* Ku nyenga.

Pretender, *n.* Wonyenga, onyenga; watshinyengo, atshinyengo.
Pretension, *n.* Kunyenga.
Prettily, *adv.* Kokongola.
Prettiness, *n.* Kukongola.
Pretty, *a.* -Okongola; -okonza. *A pretty child,* Mwana wokongola.
Prevail, *v. t.* *To overcome, to gain the victory,* Ku pambana; ku pitira.
——*Prevail upon by argument,* Ku kantshizira.
Prevalent, *a.* *As a disease,* -Otshuruka.
Prevent, *v. t.* *To forbid,* Ku letsa.
—— *To hinder, to stop progress,* Ku tshedwetsa.
Prevention, *n.* Kuletsa; kutshedwetsa.
Prey, *n.* *Spoil, booty,* Dzankondo.
Price, *n.* Ntengo, mitengo. *What is its price?* Ntengo watshi uli bwanje?
—— *v. t.* *To value, to set a price upon,* Ku wereng'jera ntengo.
Prick, *v. t.* Ku tupsyula.
—— *n.* Kutupsyula.
Pride, *n.* Kudzitama.
—— *v. i.* *To manifest pride,* Ku dzitama.
Priest, *n.* Ndzukuru, adzukuru.
Priest's office, *n.* Udzukuru.
Prince, *n.* (*While young*) Kamfumu; (*grown up*) wotshuka, otshuka; woweruza, oweruza.
Princess, *n.* Kamfumu kankazi; wotshuka wankazi.
Principal, *n.* *One who takes the lead,* Fumu, (ya) mafumu.
—— *a.* -Kuru.
Principality, *n.* *Country,* Dziko, maiko.
—— Ufumu, maufumu.
Principle, *n.* *Source, origin,* Tshiambo, dziambo.
—— *Tenet,* Nko, miko.
Print, *v. t.* Ku sindikiza.
—— *n.* Kusindikiza.
Prison, *n.* Nyumba ya ndima.
Prisoner, *n.* Wangoli, angoli; womangidwa, omangidwa; *captive of war,* Mkoli, mikoli.
Private, *a.* -Akutseri.
Privately, *adv.* Kutseri.
Privilege, *n.* Kwatshi.
Privileged, *a.* -Oanjanidwa.
Privily, *adv.* Kutseri.
Privy to, To be, *v. i.* Ku dziwana.
Prize, *n.* Tshosekeretsa, dzose keretsa.
—— *v. t.* *To value,* Ku gwiritsitsa.
Probable, *a.* Kapena. *It is probable they will arrive to-morrow,* Kapena adzafika mawa.
Probably, *adv.* Koyerekeza koganizira.
Probation, *n.* Kuyesa *and* kuyesayesa.
Probationer, *n.* Woyesedwa, oyesedwa.
Probe, *v. t.* Ku yesa.
—— *n.* Tshoyesera.
Proboscis, *n.* Mfuno, zimfuno.
—— *Trunk of elephant,* Tshatso, dzatso.
Proceed, *v i.* *To move on from one place to another,* Ku amba; ku tshita; ku enda; ku pita. *Let us proceed,* Tipite; tiende.
—— *To issue or proceed from a source or fountain,* Ku turuka. *Out of the heart proceed evil thoughts, etc.,* Kwa ntima zituruka maganizo oipa, etc.
Proceeding, *n.* Kuenda; kuturuka.
Procession, *n.* *Of people,* Kurondana.
Proclaim, *v. t.* Ku uza.
Proclaimer, *n.* Wakuuza, akuuza.
Proclamation, *n.* Kuuza; uzo, (la) mauzo; lamulo, (la) malamulo.
Proconsul, *n.* Mkuru wakazembe.
Procrastinate, *v. i.* Ku tshedwa.
Procrastination, *n.* Kutshedwa.
Procure, *v. t.* *To get, to gain,* Ku landira; ku potshera.

Prodigal, *v. i.* *To be prodigal,* Ku sakaza.
—— *To spend or use up prodigally,* Ku sakaza.
—— *a.* -*O*sakaza.
—— *n.* Wosakaza, osakaza.
Prodigality, *n.* Kusakaza.
Produce, *v. t.* *To bring out to view,* Ku turutsa.
—— *To produce, as cultivated land,* Ku bala.
—— *n.* *Of land,* Kubala; tshobala, dzobala.
—— *Of a tree,* Tshobala, dzobala.
Profanation, *n.* Kuipitsidwa.
Profane, *a.* *Polluted,* -*O*tukwanidwa; -oipitsidwa; -onyansidwa.
—— *Not holy,* -*A*nko.
—— *v. t.* *To pollute, to defile,* Ku ipitsa; ku nyansa; ku nyoza.
Profanely, *adv.* Koipitsa; kotukwana.
Profess, *v. t.* Ku bvomereza; ku bvómera.
Professedly, *adv.* Kobvomereza.
Professing, *a.* Kusonyeza.
Profession, *n.* Kubvomereza.
Profit, *n.* *Increase,* Kupindula.
—— *v. t.* Ku pindula.
—— *v. i.* Ku pindulidwa.
Profitable, *a.* -*O*pindulidwa.
Profitably, *adv.* Kopindula.
Progenitor, *n.* Kolo, (la) makolo; mwini wa fuko.
Progeny, *n.* Ana.
Progress, *v. i.* Ku pitirira.
—— *n.* Kupitirira.
Progression, *n.* Kuenda.
Prohibit, *v. t.* Ku letsa.
Prohibition, *n.* Kuletsa.
Project, *n.* Tintu, (la) matintu.
—— *v. t.* *To scheme, to contrive,* Ku ganiza.
Projecting, *n.* -*O*turukira.
Prolong, To, *v. i.* Ku tanimpitsa.
Promise, *v. t.* Ku lonjezana.
—— *n.* Lonjezano, (la) (*and* kulonjezano kwa) malonjezano.
Promontory, *n.* *A high bluff, point of land,* Domo, zindomo.
Prompt, *v.* *To stir up to be,* Ku kantshizira.
Pronounce, *v. t.* *To articulate,* Ku tshula.
Proof, *n.* *Convincing evidence,* Tshomariza, dzomariza; kumariza.
—— *Trial,* Kuyesa; kuesera *and* kuyesera.
Prop, *n.* Tshotshirika, dzotshirika; tshirikizo, mitshirikizo.
—— *v. t.* *To support so as to prevent from falling,* Ku tshirika.
—— *To sustain, to support the mind in difficulties,* Ku tshirika; ku limbitsa.
Propel, *v. t.* Ku endetsa.
Propeller, *n.* Kafe, zinkafe; tshoendetsa. (*Tshigunda,* Ngombo, zingombo.)
Proper, *a.* -Bwino.
Properly, *adv.* Bwino; (*decently*) kolinganira.
Property, *n.* *Goods,* Tshuma, zuma *and* dzuma; kupotshera.
—— *Live stock,* Nyama, zinyama.
Prophecy, *n.* Kulosa, maloso.
Prophesy, *v. i.* Ku losa.
Prophet, *n.* Mprofeti, aprofeti.
—— *Wizard,* Mlosi, amlosi.
Propitiate, *v. t.* Ku lipa.
Propitiation, *n.* Dipo, (la) malipo.
Proportion, *n.* Kuyezera *and* kwiyezera.
Proselyte, *n.* Wopenduka, openduka.
Prosper, *v. i.* Ku kula.
—— *To be successful,* Ku lemerera.
Prosperity, *n.* Tshisao (*also good health*).
Prostitute, *n.* Nkazi wa dama, akazi a dama.
Prostrate, *v. t.* Ku gwadera (*to bow down*).
Prostration, *n.* Kufoka.
Protest, *v. i.* Ku kaniza; ku uza.
Protract, *v. t.* Ku talikitsa.
Protracted, *a.* -*O*talikira; -otali kidwa.
Protractedly, *adv.* Kotalika.

Protraction, *n.* Kutalika.
Protuberance, *n.* *On the body,* Tshipudu, dzipudu.
Proud, *a.* -*O*dzitama. *A proud man,* Wodzitama, odzitama; wakudzitama, akudzitama.
—— *v. i.* *To be proud, to act arrogantly towards others,* Ku dzitama.
Proudly, *adv.* Kodzitama.
Prove, *v. t.* *To try, to test,* Ku yesa *and* yeza.
—— *To harden,* Ku limbitsa.
—— *To ascertain the truth of, to verify,* Ku funsira.
—— *To establish by argument, or an appeal to facts,* Ku limbikitsa; ku gazitsana; ku lunjikiza.
—— *Or make one's self to,* Ku dziika.
—— *To look into, to try,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To debate,* Ku sing'ka.
—— *To verify, to show,* Ku sonyeza.
Provender, *n.* Kueta.
Proverb, *n.* Tangula, zintangula; ntanti, zintanti.
Provide, *v. t.* *To lay by, as riches,* Ku pereka.
—— *To provide for coming circumstances,* Ku kwanitsira.
Provided, *conj.* *If it so be,* Ngati.
Providence, *n.* *Referring to man, forethought,* Kuganiza patsogolo.
—— *Referring to God,* Kukwanitsa.
Province, *n.* Kadziko, timaiko.
—— *Limit, boundary,* Mulinganizo.
Provisions, *n.* *For journey,* Kamba, akamba.
Provocation, *n.* Kubvuta.
Provoke, *v. t.* *To anger,* Ku kwiitsa; ku puta.
—— *To offend by taunts or sarcastic words,* Ku nyoza.
—— *To provoke a quarrel,* Ku teta ndeu.
Provoked, *a.* -*O*kwiitsidwa, -otetedwa.
—— *Roused to action,* -*O*ukitswa.
Provoking, *a.* -*O*kwiitsa.
Provokingly, *adv.* Kokwiitsa.
Prudence, *n.* Tshisao, dzisao.
Prudent, *a.* *Practically wise,* -*A*tshisao; -ododoma.
—— *Cautious,* -*O*tshenjera.
—— *Circumspect,* -*O*tshenjera.
—— **person.** Watshisao, atshisao.
Prudently, *adv.* Kotshenjera; kwatshisao.
Prune, *v. t.* Ku fula.
Prunings, *n.* Tshofulidwa, dzofulidwa.
Pry, *v. t.* *To peep narrowly,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To inspect closely,* Ku yang'anitsa.
—— *To spy secretly,* Ku suzumira.
Prying, *a.* -*O*suzumira.
Psalm, *n.* Salmo, masalmo.
Puberty, *n.* *Of girl,* Unamwali. (*Lit. first menstruation.*)
Public, *a.* *Open to all,* -*O*enderedwa.
Publican, *n.* *Tax-gatherer,* wolandira tsong'ko, olandira tsong'ko.
Publication, *n.* Kuenedwa; kubukitsidwa.
Publicly, *adv.* *Openly,* Poyera; koyera.
Publish, *v. t.* Ku buka; ku bukitsa; ku limbikitsa.
Publisher, *n.* Wobukitsa, obukitsa.
Puff, *v. i.* Ku tupa; ku tupitsa.
—— *n.* Pwea, (la) mapwea.
Puff-adder, *n.* *A very venomous snake,* Tshipiri, dzipiri.
Puke, *v. i.* Ku padzuka.
Pull, *v. t.* *To haul,* Ku koka.
Pull up, *v. t.* *As a post out of the ground or a plant,* ku zula; ku dzazula.
Pulsate, *v. i.* *To throb, as an inflamed swelling,* Ku dumula.
—— *As the heart in its pulsations,* Ku guguda.
Pulsation, *n.* *Of heart,* Kuguguda.
—— *Of a boil,* Kudumula.

Pulverize, *v. t. To crush,* Ku psinya; ku sindikiza; ku tswanya; ku tibula.
—— *To grind to powder,* Ku pera.
—— *To grind very fine,* Ku peretsa.
Pumpkin, *n.* Dzungu, (la) maungu; tanga, (la) matanga.
—— *The sweet pumpkin,* Dzungu losetshemera.
Pumpkin-seed, *n.* Mbeu ya dzungu.
Punish, *v. t.* Ku langa.
—— *By beating,* Ku menya.
Punishment, *n.* Kulanga.
Punt, *v. t. A canoe with a pole,* Ku simpa.
Pupil, *n. Of the eye,* Tanga, (ya) zintanga.
—— *A learner,* Wopunzira, opunzira; wakupunzira, akukunzira.
Purchase, *v. t.* Ku gula.
Purchaser, *n.* Wogula, ogula.
Pure, *a. As water,* -Odeka.
—— *Without blame, free from fault,* Oyera.
—— *Clean,* -Osisira. (*Also describes a person oiled after washing.*)
—— *Without blemish,* -Opanda tshirama.
—— *Made pure,* -Oyeretsedwa.
Purely, *adv.* Koyera.
Pureness, *n.* Kuyera.
Purge, *v. t. To cause evacuations of the bowels,* Ku sometsa.
—— *To cleanse from impurities,* Ku tshotsa dzoipa; ku yeretsa; ku tsuka.
—— *v. i. Of child only,* Ku soma.
—— *Of grown-up person,* Ku nyetsa.
—— *v. i. To have frequent evacuations of the bowels,* (*of medicine*) Ku supuka; ku nyetsa *and* ku nyetsedwa; ku enda ku entengo kawirikawiri.
Purification, *n.* Kusamba; kukonza.
Purify, *v. t.* Ku konza.
—— *To purify water by stirring or filtering,* Ku tetekula.
Purify, *v. t. To cleanse, as by water,* Ku sambitsa.
—— *To purify as metal, to beautify by cleansing, to burnish,* Ku pukuta.
Purity, *n.* Kuyera.
Purloin, *v. t. To steal or rob stealthily,* Ku ba.
—— *To appropriate stealthily,* Ku zembetsa.
Purple, *a.* -Oda; -akuda. *A purple robe,* Mwinjiro wakuda.
Purpose, *n. The end in view in any undertaking,* Kuyerekeza, mayerekezo.
—— *v. i.* Ku yerekeza.
Purposely, *adv.* Koyerekeza.
Pursue, *v. t. As game or cattle,* Ku saka.
—— *To go after a person, to follow one who has absconded,* Ku ronda; ku tsata.
—— *To pursue determinately in order to injure or destroy or tire out,* Ku tsata.
Pursuer, *n.* Wotsata, otsata; woronda, oronda.
Pus, *n.* Mafinya.
Push, *v. t. To push a person away,* Ku káng'ka.
—— *To push anything forward,* Ku kang'ka.
—— *Push a stick farther into the fire,* Ku sonjeza.
Pussy, *n.* Kampaka, tiampaka.
Pustule, *n.* Tshibubu, dzibubu.
Put, *v. t. Or lay in a certain place,* Ku ika.
—— *To put forth, to bud,* Ku turuka; ku puka; ku turutsa.
—— *To put away,* Ku tshotsa.
—— *To put in,* Ku ika.
—— *To put outside,* Ku turutsa.
—— *To put out the candle, to extinguish,* Ku zima.
—— *To put upon, to lay above,* Ku patikiza.
—— *To put together,* Ku unjikana; ku patikana.
—— *Put on, as a dress,* Ku bvala.

Put, *v. t.* *Put off or take off, as a garment,* Ku bvula.
—— *Put asunder,* Ku masula.
—— *Put through,* Ku pisa.
—— *Put forward,* Ku pitiriza.
—— *Put away, divorce,* Ku lekana.
Putrefaction, *n.* Kubvunditsa kwatshi; bvunditso (la).
—— *In a state of putrefaction,* Kubvunditsa.
Putrid, *a.* *Putrid meat,* -*O*bvunda.
Putrify, *v. i.* Ku bvunda.
Puzzle, *n.* Kubvutitsa.
—— *v. t.* Ku pundiza; ku bvutitsa.
Puzzling, *a.* *O*bvutitsa.
Python, *n.* Nsatu, zinsatu.

Q

Q. This letter is not required in Chinyanja, *qu* being represented by *kw.*
Quadruped, *n.* Nyama ya mapazi anai.
Quail, *n.* Tshinziri, dzinziri.
Quake, *v. i.* *To tremble with fear,* Ku ntuntumira.
Quantity, *n.* *Many, much. A large quantity, a great number,* Kwambiri; kutshuruka.
Quarrel, *v. t.* Ku kangana.
—— *To provoke a person to quarrel,* Ku tetana; ku bvuta.
—— *n.* *A dispute,* Ndeu, zindeu.
—— *A brawl,* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso.
Quarrelsome, *a.* -*A*ndeu.
Quarrelsomely, *adv.* Kwandeu.
Quash, *v. t.* Ku letsetsa.
Quaternion, *n.* Mwaanai. *Four quaternions,* Mwaanai anai.
Queen, *n.* *Head wife of chief,* Fumu yeikazi.
Queenly, *a.* -*A*fumu yeikazi.
Quell, *v. t.* *To subdue,* Ku pambanitsa.
Quench, *v. t.* *To extinguish fire,* Ku zima.
—— *To still, to quiet,* Ku tontoza.
—— *To quench anger,* Ku dzikana.
—— *To check,* Ku letsa. *Quench not the Spirit,* Musazima, Nzimu.
Querulous, *a.* -*O*bvuta.
Querulously, *adv.* Kobvuta.
Querulousness, *n.* Kubvuta.
Question, *v. t.* *To inquire,* Ku funsa.
—— *To call in question,* Ku sutsa.
—— *To question a person closely on any subject,* Ku funsitsa.
Questioning, *n.* Kufunsa, mafunso.
Quibble, *n.* Ludzu, maludzu.
—— *v. t.* Ku sasunga mlomo.
Quick, *a.* -*A*tshangu; -*a*nsangu.
—— *n.* *Alive,* Wamoyo, amoyo.
Quicken, *v. t.* *To stir up, to urge on,* Ku fulumiza.
—— *To hasten,* Ku fulumira.
Quickened, *a.* -*O*fulumirizidwa.
Quickly, *adv.* Nsanga.
Quickness, *n.* Unsanga.
Quiet, *a.* -*O*tshete.
—— *v. i.* Ku tontola. *Ye ought to be quiet,* Mukanatontola.
—— *v. t.* *To calm,* Ku tontoza.
—— *To cause boisterous talking to cease,* Ku tontoletsa.
—— *To calm or assure the mind,* Ku limbitsa.
—— *n.* Utshete; kutontola.
Quietly, *adv.* Kwatshete.
Quietness, / **Quietude,** } *n.* Utshete.
Quill, *n.* Ntenga, zintenga.
Quit, *v. i.* Ku sia.
—— *To quit oneself,* Ku dzitangata.
Quite, *a.* -*O*kaoka.
Quiver, *n.* Ntumba, mitumba.
—— *v. i.* *As flesh on the body,* Ku tawatawa.
Quivering, *a.* *Trembling,* -*O*ntuntumira.
Quote, *v. t.* Ku tshula.

R

R has in Chinyanja the sound of *r* in rope. (*See* L.)

Rabbit, *n.* (*Really hare*) Kalulu, akalulu.

—— *Rock rabbit, coney.* Bira, zimbira.

Rabble, *n.* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso.

Race, *v. t.* *To race,* Ku tamangitsa.

—— *n.* *Running,* Liwiro, (la) maliwiro.

—— *Tribe,* Gulu, (la) magulu.

Rack, *v. i.* *To twist round and wring as clothes,* Ku pikinyula.

Racket, *n.* *A loud noise,* Kusokosa.

Raft, *n.* Ntantu, mitantu.

Rag, *n.* Nsanza, (ya) mansanza.

—— *Rags of a torn or an old garment,* Mansanza.

Rage, *n.* Kukwia; kukalipira.

—— *v. i.* Ku kwia.

Ragged, *a.* -*A*mansanza.

—— *A ragged thing or garment,* -*A*nsanza.

—— *A ragged person,* Muntu wamansanza.

Raggedness, *n.* Mansanza.

Rail, *n.* *Of a gateway for closing it,* Tshitsekero, dzitsekero.

—— *Of a stair or bridge,* Ntanda, mitanda.

—— *v. t.* *At a person,* Ku sinjirira; ku tonza; ku tukwana.

Railer, *n.* Wosinjirira, osinjirira; wonyoza, onyoza.

Railing, *n.* Kusinjirira.

Raiment, *n.* Nsaru.

Rain, *v. i.* Ku bvumba.

—— *To let in rain by leakage, as a house,* Ku nyonta; ku ka.

—— *To rain softly, as in gentle showers,* Ku bvumba pang'ono pang'ono.

—— *n.* Mvula, zimvula.

—— *Fine small rain,* Mvula yeing'ono.

Rainbow, *n.* Utawalezi *and* utalezi, mautaalezi.

—— *Bow of Spirit, Bow of God:* utawaleza, mautaaleza. *This is a form of oath by which people often swear.*

Raise, *v. t.* *To lift up, to heave,* Ku tukula.

—— *To raise to an upright position,* Ku imitsa.

—— *To erect, to set up,* Ku ika; ku ikitsa.

—— *To arouse, to awake, to stir up,* Ku ukitsa.

—— *To exalt, to advance, to raise in relative rank,* Ku tshukitsa.

—— *To pull up a plant by the roots, or a post from the ground,* Ku zula.

—— *Or lift, as a large stone or mound,* Ku tshikidwa; ku tshikula.

—— *To raise one's self, or straighten one's body,* Ku ong'goka.

—— *To raise one's self, stretch one's self,* Ku tinula.

Rake, *v. t.* *To rake a garden,* Ku kokola.

Ram, *n.* Bira, zimbira.

—— *v. t.* *To ram earth in filling a hole,* Ku tsendera.

Ramble, *v. i.* Ku endaenda.

Rambler, *n.* Woendaenda, oendaenda.

Rambling, *a.* -*O*lumpalumpa.

Ramblingly, *adv.* Kolumpalumpa.

Ramrod, *n.* Lijanga, malijanga.

Rancorous, *a.* -*O*kwia.

Rancorously, *adv.* Kokwia.

Rancour, *n.* Kukwia.

Range, *v.* *In line.* Ku dandalika.

Rank, *n.* *Social, relative rank in society,* Makalidwe.

—— *Row of things, as of poles, or trees, or people,* Fundi, mifundi.

—— *v. t.* *To place in rank,* Ku panga *and* ku ika m' fundi.

Ransom, *n.* Dombolo, (la) madombolo.

—— *v. t.* Ku ombola.

Rap, *v. t.* Ku gogoda.
—— *n.* Kugogoda.
Rape, *n.* Kusakatizwa.
—— *v. i.* *To commit a rape,* Ku sakatiza.
Rapid, *n.* *A rapid in a river, a small waterfall,* Matiti.
—— *a.* *In movement,* -*A*nsanga.
Rapidity, *n.* *Hastiness, rashness,* Kudzedzeduka.
Rapidly, *adv.* Kwansanga.
—— *v. i.* *To approach rapidly, as a person in conflict with another,* Ku tamangirana.
Rascal, *n.* Woipa, oipa ; wampulupulu, ampulupulu.
Rascality, *n.* Kuipa ; mpulupulu.
Rash, *n.* *On the body,* Kupsya.
—— *a.* *Hasty,* -*O*dzedzeduka ; -tuku.
Rashly, *adv.* *With undue haste,* Kodzedzeduka ; kwatuku *and* koutuku.
Rashness, *n.* Kudzedzeduka ; utuku.
—— *v. i.* *To act without due consideration,* Ku dzedzeduka.
Rat, *n.* Koswe, (wa) makoswe.
Rations, *n.* Poso, (la) maposo.
Rattle, *v. i.* Ku tekesa.
Rattling, *n.* Kutekesa.
Ravager, *n.* Wosakatiza, osakatiza.
Rave, *v. i.* *To wander in mind, in delirium,* Ku bwebweta.
—— *With anger,* Ku padzuka ; ku kwiitsa.
Raven, *n.* *The white-necked crow,* Kungubwi, (wa) makungubwi.
Ravin, *v. t.* *To seize furiously,* Ku kalipira.
Ravine, *n.* *A hollow running up a mountain,* Tshinkwau, dzinkwau.
Ravish, *v. t.* *To violate,* Ku sakatiza.
—— *In a good sense, as by music,* Ku kondwetsa.
Ravishing, *n.* *Violation,* Kusakatiza.
—— Kukondwetsa.
Raw, *a.* -*O*wisi.
Rawness, *n.* Uwisi.
Rays, *n.* *Of the sun,* Baliwali, zimbaliwali.
—— *A ray of light,* Ng'amba, zing'amba.
—— *A ray or column of light seen at night rising from fire in the open air where travellers have encamped,* Tsheza, dzeza.
Raze, *v. t.* *To dig down, overthrow,* Ku gumula.
Razor, *n.* Lumo, (la) malumo.
Reach, *v. i.* *A locality on a journey,* Ku fika.
—— *To extend the hand to,* Ku patsa dzanja.
—— *To reach after, strive after,* Ku yesera.
—— *To reach a thing down, as from a shelf,* Ku tsitsa.
—— *n.* *An extent of still, deep water in a stream or river,* Pote, (la) mapote.
Read, *v. i.* Ku werenga.
Readiness, *n.* Kuta.
Ready, *a.* -*O*ta ; -*a*kuta.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku ta.
Reap, *v. t.* Ku tema.
Reaper, *n.* Wokokola, okokola.
Rear, *v. t.* *To rear a child,* Ku lera.
—— *To set up,* Ku manga ; ku imitsa.
—— *v. i.* *As a horse,* Ku ima.
Reason, *n.* *Faculty of the mind,* Dingalira, zindingalira.
—— *Cause, motive,* Tshifukwa, zifukwa.
—— *v. i.* *To discuss, to debate,* Ku sing'kasing'ka ; ku nyenjezera ; ku ganizirana.
—— *To prove,* Ku sing'ka.
Reasonable, *a.* -*O*dingalira.
Reasonably, *adv.* Kwadingalira ; kotshenjera.
Reasonings, *n.* Ganizo, (la) maganizo ; kusing'kasing'ka, masing'kasing'ko ; kuuzana, mau zano.

Rebel, *v. t.* Ku panduka.
—— *n.* Wopanduka, opanduka.
Rebellion, *n.* Kupanduka.
Rebuke, *v. i.* Ku sulumula ; ku dzudzula.
Rebuker, *n.* Wosulumula, osulumula.
Recapitulate, *v. t.* Ku uzirauzira.
Recapitulation, *n.* Kuuzirauzira.
Recede, *v. i.* *To retreat, as from an enemy,* Ku zemba.
—— *To draw back, as meat from the fire,* Ku fumula.
—— *As a tide,* Ku fumuka.
Receding, *a.* -*O*fumuka.
Receipt, *n.* Bvume, (la) mabvume.
Receive, *v. t.* Ku landira.
Received, *a.* *Acknowledged, accepted,* -*O*landiridwa, -obvomerezedwa.
Receiving, *n.* Kulandira.
Recently, *adv.* *Lately,* Kali pang'ono ; tsopano.
Recess, *n.* *Of a room,* Malo ogumula.
Reckless, To be, *v. i.* *To destroy crops of others, as a chief,* Ku simbwa.
—— *a.* -*O*simbwa.
Recklessness, *n.* *Villainy,* Mpulupulu ; urombo.
Reckon, *v. t.* Ku werenga.
—— (*Mentally*) *To think,* Ku ganiza.
—— *To give an account of,* Ku wereng'jera *and* ku werengera.
Reckoned, *a.* *Counted,* -*O*werengedwa.
Reckoning, *n.* Kuwerengera.
Recline, *v. i.* *To lean on,* Ku seama.
—— *To lean against,* Ku tsamira.
—— *To repose, as on a couch,* Ku gona.
Recluse, *n.* Wautumbi, autumbi.
Recollect, *v. i.* Ku kumbukila.
Recollection, *n.* Kukumbukila.
—— *n. Memory,* Tshikumbu ntima.
Recompense, *v. t.* *To compensate,* Ku lipira.
Recompense, *v. t.* *To reward for services rendered,* Ku lipa.
—— *To requite evil for evil,* Ku bwezera zoipa.
—— *n.* Kulipira.
Reconcile, *v. t.* Ku anjana ; ku anjwa.
Reconciliation, *n.* Kuanjwa.
Record, *v. t.* *To write down,* Ku lemba ; ku lembera.
—— *v. i.* *To bear witness,* Ku mariza.
—— *n.* *Witness,* Kumariza.
Recount, *v. t.* Ku werenga anso.
Recover, *v. i.* *From sickness,* Ku tshira.
—— *v. t.* *To recover lost property,* Ku tola.
—— *To recover one's self,* Ku dzibweza.
Recovery, *n.* Kutshira ; kutola.
Rectify, *v. t.* Ku fotokoza.
Rectitude, *n.* Kudeka.
Rectum, *n.* Ntumbo, mitumbo.
Red, *a.* -*O*fira. *Red hair,* Tsisi lofira. *The sun is red,* Dzua liri lofira.
Red clay, *n.* Katondo.
Red cloth, *n.* *Or blanket,* Nkanzo, zinkanzo.
Redden, *v. t.* Ku firitsa.
Redeem, *v. t.* *To buy back,* Ku ombola.
—— *To make free, to manumit,* Ku patsa ufulu.
—— *To release,* Ku masula.
Redeemer, *n.* Mombolo, miombolo.
Redemption, *n.* Kuombola ; kuomboledwa.
Redemption-price, *n.* *Ransom,* Dombolo, madombolo.
Redness, *n.* Kufira.
Reed, *n.* *River reed,* Bango, (la) maango ; nzengo, zinzengo.
—— *Sweet reed,* Msinde, misinde.
Reel, *v. i.* *As a drunken man,* Ku dzandika.
—— *As one in a stupor,* Ku dzandika ndi ngoningoni.
—— *n.* *Of thread,* Jinga, zinjinga.

Refine, *v. t. As metal,* Ku yepula.
—— *To clarify, as liquor by straining,* Ku tetekula.
Refiner, *n.* Woyepula, oyepula; wotetekula, otetekula.
Refinement, *n. Of a man's conduct,* Kuyepuka.
Refining, *n.* Kuyepula; kutetekula.
Reflect, *v. i.* Ku ganiza.
—— *As rays of light,* Ku pinda; ku bweza.
Reflection, *n.* Kuganiza.
—— *Of light,* Kupinda; kubweza.
Reform, *v. t. To amend,* Ku dzikonza.
—— *v. i. To return from bad conduct to good,* Ku dzikonza; ku tembenuka.
Reformation, *n.* Kukonza; kufotokoza; kutembenuka.
Refrain, *v. i. To hold back one's self from action,* Ku dzikana; ku leka.
—— *To refrain from, to avoid, as to avoid the usual path,* Ku lambalala.
—— *To leave off,* Ku tshoka.
—— *n.* Bvume la nyimbo, mabvume a nyimbo.
Refresh, *v. t. To invigorate, to inspire with fresh energy,* Ku limbitsa.
—— *Comfort one's self,* Ku dzisangalatsa.
—— *To refresh one's self,* Ku dzilimbika. *He drank at the fountain and refreshed himself,* Anamwa pa tshitsime nadzilimbika.
Refreshing, *a.* -Olimbitsa.
Refreshment, *n.* Tsholimbitsa, dzolimbitsa.
Refuge, *n.* Malo opulumukira; malo akutawira.
—— *Safety,* Kupulumuka.
—— *Stockade,* Linga, malinga.
—— *v. i. To take refuge,* Ku pulumuka.
Refusal, *n.* Kukana; (*by conduct*) nkani, zinkani.
Refuse, *n.* Zinyalala.
—— *Filth,* Zotaya *and* zotaia *and* dzotaia.
—— *v. t.* Ku kana; ku kaniza.
Refute, *v. t. To refute a charge of guilt, to prove innocence,* Ku kanira.
Regard, *n. Respect for,* Ulemu.
—— *v. t. To admire,* Ku simba.
—— *To care for and follow as an example,* Ku yana.
—— *To love,* Ku konda.
—— *To consider,* Ku ganiza ndi.
—— *v. i. To look,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To give heed to,* Ku samala.
—— *To have respect to, to be a respecter of,* Ku sang'ka; ku sang'kula.
Regardless, To be, *v. i.* Ku sasamala.
—— *a.* -Osasamala.
Regardlessly, *adv.* Kosasamala.
Regenerate, *v. t.* Ku bala anso.
Regeneration, *n.* Kubadwa anso; kubadwa kawiri.
Regiment, *n.* Gulu la ankhondo.
Regimental, *a.* -Agulu la ankhondo.
Region, *n.* Dziko, (la) maiko.
Register, *v. t.* Ku lembera.
—— *n.* Bku la maina.
Regret, *v. i.* Ku lapa; ku mva tshisoni.
—— *n.* Nkawa, zinkawa; tshisoni.
Regular, *a.* Kondandalika.
Reign, *v. t.* Ku weruza.
—— *n.* Kuweruza.
Reins, *n. The muscles of the lower part of the back,* Nyama ya musana.
—— *Kidneys,* Ntsukusana *and* sukusana, zinsukusana.
Reiterate, *v. i.* Ku uzirauzira.
Reiteration, *n.* Kuuzirauzira.
Reject, *v. t. To cast away,* Ku taia.
—— *To despise,* Ku nyoza.
—— *To refuse,* Ku kana.
Rejected, *a.* -Otaiidwa; -onyozedwa.
Rejection, *n.* Kunyoza.

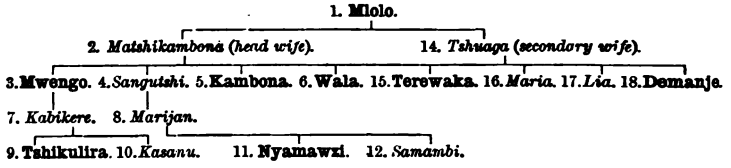
Rejoice, *v. i.* Ku kondwera; ku sekera.

—— *v. t.* Ku kondweretsa; ku sekeretsa.

Relate, *v. t.* Ku uza.

Relation, *n.* Nansi, anansi.

Relationship. This will be most easily understood by reference to the following table, where a polygamous family is supposed, consisting of a man having two wives, and the children of these marriages with their marriages and families. Names printed in dark type represent males, in italic type, females.



1 calls 2, speaking generally, nkazi wanga; with reference to her position as head wife, akuka.

1 calls 14, speaking generally, nkazi wanga; with reference to her position, ntsanu (pl. atsanu).

2 and 14 each call 1, mamuna wanga, or mwanananga.

2 calls 14, nkazi nzanga; and if there are other wives, she calls all akazi anzanga.

14 calls 2, akuka.

3, 4, 5, 6, 15, 16, 17, 18 each calls 1, atatu anga; speaking collectively, they say, atatu atu.

1 calls 3, 4, 5, 6, 15, 16, 17, 18, individually, mwana wanga; collectively, ana gana.

3, 4, 5, 6, each calls 2, amai anga; collectively, amai atu.

2 calls 3, 4, 5, 6, individually, mwana wanga; collectively, ana anga.

15, 16, 17, 18, each calls 14, amai anga; collectively they say, amai atu.

14 calls 15, 16, 17. 18, individually, mwana wanga; collectively, ana anga.

3, 4, 5, 6, each calls 14, amai anga; collectively they say, amai atu.

14 calls 3, 4, 5, 6, individually, mwana wanga; collectively, ana anga.

15, 16, 17, 18, each calls 2, amai anga; collectively they say, amai atu.

2 calls 15, 16, 17, 18, individually, mwana wanga; collectively, ana anga.

3 calls 5, 6, individually, mpwanga; collectively, apwanga. If either of Tshuaga's sons is older than 3, 3 calls this one njiranga; the son younger than himself he calls mpwanga, and the same holds good for 5 and 6.

5 calls 3 njiranja, and 6 mpwanga, and makes the distinction regarding the ages of 15 and 18.

6 calls 3, 5, individually, njiranga; collectively, anjiranga; and speaks of 15 and 18 with a similar reference to the relative ages of each with his own.

3 calls 4, mlongo wanga.

3 calls 16, 17, individually, mlongo wanga; collectively, alongo anga.

4 calls 3, 5, 6, individually, mlongo wanga; collectively, alongo anga.

4 calls 16, if older than herself, njiranga; if younger, mpwanga, and speaks of 17 in the same way.

16 calls 4, if older than herself, njiranga; if younger, mpwanga.

16 calls 17, mpwanga.

4 calls 3, 5, 6, 15, 18, individually, mlongo wanga; collectively, alongo anga. 3, 4, 5, 6, speaking distinctly of their *half* brothers and *half* sisters, 15, 16, 17, 18, call them collectively, ana anzatu; individually, mwana nzatu.

15, 16, 17, 18 speak in the same way of 3, 4, 5, 6.

7 calls 1, atatu anga; a stranger speaks of 1 as being pongozi watshi of 7.

1 calls 7, mwana wanga; a stranger speaks of 7 as being pongozi watshi of 1.

7 calls 2, amai anga; a stranger speaks of two as being pongozi watshi of 7.

2 calls 7, mwana wanga; a stranger speaks of 7 as being pongozi watshi of 2.

5 calls 7, 8, individually, mlamu wanga; collectively, alamu anga

7 calls 4, 8, 5, individually, mlamu wanga; collectively, alamu anga.

8 calls 3, 5, individually, mlamu wanga; collectively, alamu anga.
9, 10, 11, 12, each calls 1, mbuie wanga, also atate wang'kuru.
1 calls 9, 10, 11, 12, individually, ndzukuru, or mwana wa mwananga; collectively, adzukuru, or ana a ana anga.
9, 10, 11, 12, each calls 2, mbuie wanga, also amai wang'kuru.
2 speaks of 9, 10, 11, 12 as 1 does (see above).
9, 10, 11, 12 speak of 14 in the same way as of 2, and *vice versa*.
9 calls 5, atatu anga.
5 calls 9, mwana wanga.
11 calls 5, atatu, and distinctively amai mamuna.
5 calls 11, mwana.
A step child is called mwana, and distinctively mwana wopezera; and plu. ana opezera. A step child calls its step father atate, and distinctively atate wopereza; and in the same way the step mother amai, and amai wopezera.

Relative, *n.* -*A*fuko langa; mbali, abali.
Release, *v. t.* *To set free from restraint,* Ku masula; ku pulumutsa.
—— *To free from bondage or captivity,* Ku patsa ufulu.
—— *n.* Kumasula; kupatsa ufulu.
Relent, *v. i.* Ku tembenuka; ku gwa ntima.
Reliance, *n.* Kumvana.
Relief, *v.* *To send relief,* Ku tumiza kutandizira.
—— *n.* *Cessation,* Kureka.
—— *Help,* Kutangata.
Relieve, *v. t.* Ku tangata.
—— *By lightening a burden,* Ku peputsa.
Religion, *n.* Kupembedza.
Religious, *a.* *Devout,* -*O*pembedza. *Religious devotee,* Mpembedzi, apembedzi.
Relinquish, *v. t.* Ku leka.
Rely, *v. t.* Ku mvana.
Remain, *v. i.* *To remain behind,* Ku tsala.
—— *To remain in the same place,* Ku kala.
Remainder, *n.* *O*mwe; -otsala.
Remake, *v. t.* Ku panga anso.
—— *To renew,* Ku konza; ku konzetsa; ku fotokoza.
Remedy, *n.* *For an evil or defect,* Tshokonza, dzokonza; tshokonzera, dzokonzera.
—— *For a disease,* Mankwala.
Remedy, *v. t.* *To cure,* Ku tshiritsa.
—— *To repair a defect,* Ku konza; ku fotokoza.
Remember, *v. i.* Ku kumbukila; ku kumbuka.
—— *To cause to remember, to remind,* Ku kumbukitsa, *and ctr.* ku kumbutsa.
Remembrance, *n.* Kukumbukila, makumbukilo.
Remind, *v. t.* Ku kumbutsa.
Reminiscence, *n.* Kukumbukila, makumbukilo.
Remission, *n.* *Abatement, diminution of intensity, as of pain,* Ku peputsa.
—— *Release, by relinquishing a claim, forgiveness,* Kubweza; kubwezera. *The remission of sins,* Kubweza kwa zakwaipa.
Remit, *v. t.* *To pardon,* Ku kululukira; ku iwalira.
Remnant, *n.* *Rest, what is left over,* -*O*mwe; -otsala.
Remonstrance, *n.* Kuuza.
Remonstrate, *v. i.* Ku uza.
Remorse, *n.* *Melancholia,* Tshilope, dzilope. (*Said of a person who has killed a man. It is considered a disease like madness.*) Watshilope, atshilope, *such a person.*
Remorseful, *a.* -*A*tshilope.
Remote, *a.* *Distance in place,* -*A*kutali.
—— *Distant, in time past,* -*A*kali.
Remove, *v. t.* *To remove a thing,* Ku tshotsa.

Remove, *v. t. To take away, as the hair of a pig or feathers of a fowl, by plunging in hot water,* Ku tsupula.
—— *To cause a person to remove his residence,* Ku tupsya (muntu).
—— *To remove or push aside a thing which intercepts the light,* Ku kanganua.
—— *To remove a thing out of the way or path,* Ku sunta.
—— *v. i. To remove the person,* Ku tshoka.
—— *To remove impurity, to purify,* Ku konza.
—— *To remove one's residence, or a thing,* Ku sunta.
—— *To remove out of the light of another person,* Ku tshoka.
—— *To remove out of the way of another,* Ku pambuka.
Removal, *n. From one place of residence to another,* Kusunta.
—— *A forced removal,* Kutshotsedwa.
Rend, *v. t.* Ku ng'amba.
—— *v. i.* Ku ng'ambika.
Render, *v. t. To give,* Ku patsa.
—— *To give up a due,* Ku bweza kubwezera.
—— *To render an account of duty done,* Ku werengera *and* ku wereng'jera.
Renew, *v. t.* Ku panga -atsopano.
—— *To renew an operation or conversation which had been suspended for awhile,* Kuambaanso ku lankula.
—— *To repair,* Ku fotokoza.
Renewal, *n.* Kuambaanso.
Renounce, *v. t. To cast off, to reject,* Ku tshotsa ; ku kana ; ku taia.
Renown, *n.* Kulimba ; kulimba ndi nkondo.
—— *v. t. To make famous,* Ku limbitsa ndi nkondo.
Rent, *n. In cloth,* Tshibo, dzibo ; tshidede, dzidede.
Renunciation, *n.* Kukana ; kutaia.
Repair, *v. t.* Ku fotokoza.
Repay, *v. t.* Ku bweza.
Repayment, *n.* Kubweza.
Repeat, *v. i. As a lesson or saying,* Ku tshula.
—— *v. t. To repeat an action,* Anso *added to verb or by reduplicating verb.*
—— *To repeat the same action or the same request until the object in view is accomplished,* Ku tshita kawiri kawiri.
Repeatedly, *adv. Again and again,* Kawiri kawiri.
Repel, *v. t. A person, by manner and address,* Ku tshita ndi mpwaiyu.
—— *To repel by pushing violently away,* Ku kang'ka.
Repellant, *n. A repellant person,* -Ampwaiyu. *A repellant chief,* Fumu yampwaiyu.
Repent, *v. i.* Ku tembenuza ntima ; ku lapa (*confess, repent, and reform*).
Repentance, *n.* Kutembenuka.
Replenish, *v. t. To fill,* Ku dzaza anso.
Reply, *v. t. To a question,* Ku ang'ka ; ku iang'ka *and* ku yang'ka.
—— *Respond to a call,* Ku bvomera.
—— *n. That is my reply,* Kuiang'ka ; bvomero, (la) mabvomero, *meaning reply in affirmative ; in neg.* kukana *is used.*
Report, *v. t. To report of events which have happened,* Ku bukitsa.
—— *To relate, to tell,* Ku nena.
—— *To give an official or formal report,* Ku uza.
—— *n. Account, story,* Mwambi, miambi.
—— *A formal or official report,* Bukitso, (la) mabukitso.
—— *A rumour, fame,* Mbiri, zimbiri.

Repose, *v. i. To recline,* Ku seama.
—— *To recline, as on a couch,* Ku gona.
—— *To rest,* Ku puma.
—— *n.* Kupuma; kugona.
—— *Sleep,* Kugona tulo.
Reprehend, } *v. t.* Ku sulumula.
Reprimand, }
Represent, *v. t.* Ku sonya.
—— *To act in place of a chief,* Ku kala kofumu.
Representation, *n.* Kusonya.
Reproach, *v. t. To censure in terms of opprobrium,* Ku kumba; ku sinjirira; ku dzudzula; ku dzuma; ku tsanza.
—— *By reminding of favours done to a person, or of his former condition,* e.g. *slave, or to tell one's genealogy,* Ku kumba.
—— *n.* Sinjiriro, (la) masinjiriro; tshidzumo, dzidzumo.
Reproachful, *a.* -*O*sinjirira.
Reproachfully, *adv.* Kosinjirira.
Reprobate, *a. Abandoned, cast away,* -*O*taiidwa; -*o*ipa. *Reprobate persons,* Antu otaiidwa.
—— *v. t.* Ku taia.
Reproof, *n.* Kusulumula; sulumulo, (la) masulumulo.
Reprove, *v. t. To rebuke,* Ku sulumula; ku dzudzula.
Reproveable, *a.* -*O*sulumulidwa.
Reprover, *n.* Wosulumula, osulumula.
Reptile, *n. A creeping vertebrated animal; the worm or caterpillar tribe,* Tshokwawa, dzokwawa.
Repulse, *v. t. To check, to drive back,* Ku bweza.
—— *n.* Kubwezedwa.
Repute, *n. Fame,* mbiri, zimbiri.
Request, *v. t.* Ku funsa; ku pempa.
—— *n.* Kufunsa; funso (la) mafunso; pempero, (la) mapempero.
Require, *v. t. To demand,* Ku funsira.
—— *v. i. To be in want of,* Ku saukira.
Requirement, *n.* Tshofunsidwa, dzofunsidwa.
—— *Ordinance,* Kufuna.
Requisition, *n.* Kufunsa.
Requite, *v. t. To return an equivalent for good,* Ku lipira. *I will requite you this your kindness,* Didzalipira iwe kukoma kwako kumene.
—— *To retaliate, to return evil for evil,* Ku bweza; ku bwezera.
—— *To revenge,* Ku zimbula.
Rescue, *v. t.* Ku pulumutsa.
—— *n.* Kupulumutsa.
Resemblance, *n.* Kufana; kufanafana.
Resemble, *v. t. To liken, to compare,* Ku faniza.
—— *v. i.* Ku fana ndi. *This thing resembles that,* Tshintu tshimene tshifana ndi tshidya.
Resent, *v. t.* Ku kana.
Resentment, *n.* Kukana.
Reserve, *v. t.* Ku sunga; ku sungira.
Reserved, *a.* -*O*sungidwa.
—— *Quiet,* -*A*tshete.
Reside, *v. i.* Ku kala. *Where do you reside now?* Ukala kuti tsopano?
Residence, *n. Domicile,* Nyumba, zinyumba; kwa*tshi.*
—— *Town or village, where a person resides,* Mudzi watshi.
Residue, *n.* Kutsala; tshotsala, dzotsala.
Resign, *v. t. To give up,* Ku bweza.
—— *To resign a situation, office, or profession,* Ku sia.
Resignation, *n.* Kubweza; kusia.
Resigned, *a.* -*O*bwezedwa; -*o*siidwa.
—— *Resigned to fate,* -*O*lizinga.
Resist, *v. t. To refuse approval,* Ku kana; kusalola; ku sasumba.

Resist, *v. t. To resist by words,* Ku kana.
—— *To strive against, to counter act,* Ku kaniza.
Resistance, *n.* Kukana.
Resolve, *v. i.* Ku limbikira; ku kantshizira; ku yerekeza (*to purpose*).
Respect, *v. t. To esteem,* Ku simba.
—— *To pay deference, to revere,* Ku lemekeza; ku dzinga.
—— *n.* Kusimba; ulemu.
—— *In respect of,* Ndi tshifukwa tsha.
—— *Respect of persons,* Tsang'ko, (la) matsang'ko.
Respectful, *a.* -*O*simba; -*a*ulemu.
Respectfully, *adv.* Kwaulemu; kosimba; kodzinga.
Respector, *n. Of persons,* Watsang'ko, atsang'ko.
Respiration, *n.* Kupuma.
Respire, *v. i.* Ku puma.
Respite, *n. Pause, temporary intermission of labour,* Ntawi ya kupuma.
Respond, *v. t.* Ku bvomera.
Rest, *n. Opposed to toil,* Kupuma.
—— *Remnant, what is left,* -*O*mwe; -*o*tsala.
—— *Others,* Ena.
—— *v. i.* Ku puma.
—— *v. t. To give rest,* Ku pumitsa.
Restitution, *n.* Kulipira.
Restless, *a.* -*O*sapuma; -*o*sapumitsa; -*o*gangalama.
—— *Restless, as from pain of body or mind,* -*O*tembenukatembenuka. *The verb* Ku tembenukatembenuka *is used.*
—— *v. i.* Ku gangalama.
Restoration, *n.* Kubweza; kufotokoza *and* kufotokozedwa.
Restore, *v. t.* Ku bweza; ku fotokoza.
Restrain, *v. t.* Ku letsa; ku leketsa.
—— *v. i. To restrain one's self,* Ku imika.
—— *To restrain another,* Ku imitsa.
Resurrection, *n.* Kuukirira.
Retain, *v. t.* Ku sunga.
—— *To cause to remain,* Ku lekereza; ku tsalitsa; ku gwira.
Retaliate, *v. t.* Ku bwezera zoipa.
Retaliation, *n.* Kubwezera zoipa.
Retard, *v. t.* Ku tshedwetsa.
Retch, *v. i.* Ku gea.
Retreat, *v. i. To move back,* Ku zemba.
—— *To retreat from an enemy,* Ku tawa; ku zemba.
—— *To draw back from a person when in single combat, but still facing one's foe,* Ku bwerera.
Return, *v. i.* Ku bwera.
—— *To go to a place and return the same day,* Ku bwerera.
—— *v. t. To return a thing to a person from whom it has been received,* Ku bweza.
—— *n.* Kubwera.
Reveal, *v. t. To make known,* Ku sonya; ku dziwitsa.
—— *To show, to unveil,* Ku sonyeza.
—— *To bring forth to view,* Ku sonya.
Revealed, *a.* -*O*sonyedwa.
Revelation, *n.* Kusonyeza.
Revellings, *n. Wicked dances, drunkenness,* Kudzedzeduka; kutsiruka, matsiruko.
Revenge, *v. t.* Ku zimbula; ku mulira.
—— *n.* Kuzimbula.
Reverence, *v. t.* Ku pembedza; ku dzinga.
Reverent, *a.* -*O*dzinga. *Reverent demeanour,* makalidwe odzinga.
Review, *v. t.* Ku yang'anira.
Revile, *v. t. To abuse,* Ku nyoza; ku tonza.
—— *To mock, to scorn,* Ku sinjirira.
—— *To taunt,* Ku nyoza; ku sinjirira.
—— *To use bad language,* Ku tukwana.
Reviler, *n.* Wonyoza, onyoza; wosinjirira, osinjirira.
Reviling, *n.* Kunyoza; kusinjirira.
Revival, *n.* Kutsitsimuka.

Revive, *v. t. From a faint,* Ku tsitsimuka.
—— (*Of the medical attendant*), Ku tsitsimutsa.
—— *v. i. As from the grave,* Ku pukwa.
—— *To rouse,* Ku fulumiza.
Revolution, *n.* Kuzungulira.
Revolve, *v. i.* Ku zungulira.
—— *v. t. To cause to revolve,* Ku zunguza.
Reward, *v. t. To pay,* Ku lipira.
—— *To give a prize,* Ku sekeretsa.
——*n.* Sekeretso, (la) masekeretso.
—— *Payment,* Kulipira; lipiro, (la) malipiro.
—— *For finding anything,* Nsongamaso, zinsongamaso.
Rewarder, *n.* Wolipira, olipira.
Rhinoceros, *n. Two-horned,* Tshipembere, dzipembere.
Rib, *n.* Ntitti, zintiti.
Rice, *n.* Mpunga, mipunga.
Rich, *a.* -Olemera. *He was very rich,* Anali wolemera nditu. *He had large possessions,* Anali ndi zintu zazikuru.
—— *n. The rich,* Wolemera, olemera.
—— *v. i. To make rich,* Ku lemezedwa.
—— **land,** *n.* -Okondwa.
Riches, *n. Wealth, opulence,* Zolemera.
Richly, *adv.* Kolemera; kotshuruka.
Richness, *n. Wealth,* Kulemera.
—— *Abundance,* Kutshuruka.
—— *Fertility, richness of a crop,* Kutshuruka kwa.
Rid, *v. i. To free from,* Ku panda.
—— *v. t. To drive away,* Ku tshotsa.
Riddance, *n. Complete deliverance from, as from all enemies,* Kupanda (maliwongo).
Riddle, *n. An enigma,* Ntanu, nzi tanu.
Ride, *v. t.* Ku kwera.
Rider, *n.* Wokwera, okwera.
Ridge, *n. Of a hill,* Mutu wa piri.
—— *Of a mountain range,* Mitu ya mapiri.
Ridicule, *v. t. To despise,* Ku tsonya.
—— *To deride with words,* Ku nyoza.
Ridiculous, *a. Absurd,* -Opusa.
Rifle, *n.* Mfuti, zimfuti.
—— *v. t. To rob,* Ku landa; ku ba.
Right, *v. t.* Ku deketsa; ku fotokoza.
—— *a.* -Bwino. *The right way,* Njira yabwino.
—— *n. Privilege,* e.g. his *right,* Kwatshi.
—— **hand,** *n.* Dzanja lamanja; dzanja la kudia.
—— *adv. On the right hand,* Kwa dzanja lamanja.
Righteous, *a.* -Odeka; -ofatsa. *A righteous person,* Muntu wodeka.
——*To make, to justify,* Ku deketsa.
Righteousness, *n.* Kudeka. *Righteousness exalteth a nation,* Kudeka kukulitsa ntundu.
Rigorous, *a.* -Ampamvu.
Rigorously, *adv.* Kwampamvu.
Rigour, *n.* Mpamvu.
Rill, *n.* Katsinje, timitsinje.
Rim, *n.* Pembe, (la) mapembe.
Rind, *n.* Koko, (la) makoko.
Ring, *v. t.* Ku omba muliu, (*bell*) miliu.
—— *n. A finger-ring,* Mpete, zimpete.
—— *An arm-ring,* Koza, (la) makoza.
—— *A ring or halo round the moon,* Tshitunzi tsha mwezi, dzitunzi dza mwezi.
—— *A white round mark on the tail of an animal,* Banga la ntshira.
Ringing, *n. Of bell,* Kuomba muliu.
—— *Of a hammer upon metal,* Kulira.

Ringleader, *n.* Tsatsogolo, atsatsogolo.
Ringworm, *n.* Tshipere, dzipere.
Rinse, *v. t.* Ku sukusula; (*the mouth*) nkamwa.
Rinsing, *n.* Kuzunguza.
Riot, *n.* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso; kutetana.
—— *n. Immoral,* Kusaluka.
—— *v. i. To behave wantonly,* Ku saluka.
Rioter, *n.* Wopokoso, opokoso.
Riotous, *a.* *-A*pokoso *and -o*pokosa.
Riotously, *adv.* Kwakoposo *and* kopokosa.
Riotousness, *n.* Kupokosa.
Rip, *v. t. Of a body,* Ku tumbula.
—— *Of cloth,* Ku ng'amba.
—— *v. i.* Ku ngambika.
Ripe, *a. Of cereals, -A*kutsha *and -o*tsha.
—— *Of fruit of trees, -A*kupsa.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku tsha.
—— *Of fruit,* Ku psa.
Ripen, *v. i.* Ku psa.
—— *v. t.* Ku psetsa.
Ripened, *a. Matured, -O*psetsedwa.
Rise, *v. i. From a sitting or reclining posture,* Ku galamuka; ku tira.
—— *To get up from sleep or bed,* Ku uka.
—— *As a river,* Ku gwera; ku amba.
—— *To ascend,* Ku kwera.
—— *To appear above the horizon, as the heavenly bodies,* Ku kwera; ku turuka. *The rising of the sun,* Kuturuka kwa dzua; *its farther advance,* Kukwera kwa dzua.
—— *To rise, as water in a river,* Ku kwera.
Where a constellation or a planet disappears annually in consequence of the course of the earth in its orbit; or the moon when it has completed its course round the earth, ku fa; *its reappearance is called* Ku badwa; ku oneka, ku pendama. *The Pleiades have reappeared or risen,* Nsangwe zapendama.
Rise, *v. i. To rise up to view, to appear,* Ku onekera.
—— *To be excited or rise into action,* Ku tshita ndi tuko; ku tshita kwa tuko.
—— *n. The act of rising,* Kuuka.
Risk one's self, *v. i. To adventure one's self,* Ku dziyesa; ku dzitaia.
Rites, *n. Religious offerings, sacrifices,* Nsembe, zinsembe.
—— *Ordinances,* Pembedzo, (la) mapembedzo.
River, *n.* (*Large*) Nyanja, zinyanja; ntsinje, mitsinje.
Rivulet, *n.* Kantsinje, timitsinje.
Road, *n. A footpath,* Njira, zinjira.
—— *A high road, a waggon road, or one much used,* Kwalala, (la) makwalala.
—— *A track of an animal,* Tshitende, dzitende.
Roam, *v. i.* Ku endaenda.
Roaming, *a. As a roaming life,* Moyo woendaenda.
Roar, *v. i. As the sea, or a lion* Ku balawaza.
—— *To cry,* Ku lira.
—— *To call aloud,* Ku pfula.
Roaring, *n.* Kulira.
Roast, *v. t.* Ku otsha.
—— *n.* Tshootsha; nyama yootsha.
Roasted, *a. -O*otshedwa.
Rob, *v. t. To plunder,* Ku landa; ku pamba (*seldom used*).
—— *To rob stealthily, as a person who lurks about and robs without violence,* Ku zimbaitsa; ku zembetsa.
Robber, *n.* Wolanda, olanda.
Robe, *v. i. To dress the person,* Ku bvala.
—— *v. t. To dress another, as a child,* Ku bveka.
—— *To put on a long robe or garment, so as to envelop the whole*

person, Ku bvala mwinjiro *wautali*.
Robe, *n.* Mwinjiro, miinjiro.
Robustness, *n.* *Of health*, Tshisao.
Rock, *v. i.* *To roll about, as a waggon going over stones*, Ku puntwapuntwa.
—— *n.* Tantwe, (la) matantwe.
—— *An upright rock, a precipice*, Phompo, (la) maphompo.
—— *A flat extended rock*, Tantwe loyala.
Rock-rabbit, *n.* Bira, zimbira.
Rocky, *a.* -*A*tantwe.
Rod, *n.* *A long stick*, Ntole, zintole.
—— *Fishing-rod*, Ntepa, mitepa.
Rogue, *n.* Wampulupulu, ampulupulu.
Roll, *v. t.* *To roll a stone or any heavy substance on the ground*, Ku gubuduza.
—— *To roll away*, Ku fumula.
—— *To roll a person in the mud*, Ku tumbika.
—— *v. i.* *To revolve*, Ku zungulira; *on ground*, ku gubuduka.
—— *To roll one's self in the mud*, Ku dzitumbika.
—— *To roll up, as a bed*, Ku alula; ku pinda.
—— *n.* Mputu, miputu.
Roller, *a.* Tshosalalitsira.
Rolling, *a.* -*O*salalitsira.
Rolling-pin, *n.* Ntengo wosalalitsira.
Roof, *n.* *Thatch*, Tshindu, (la) matshindu.
—— *Roof of the mouth*, Nkamwa.
Rook, *n.* Kungubwi, (la) makungubwi.
Room, *n.* *Of a house*, Tshipinda, dzipinda.
—— *Space*, Malo. *Give me room*, Patsa ine malo.
Root, *n.* Ntsitsi, mitsitsi.
—— *v.* *To root out*, Ku dzula; ku dzazula.
Rope, *n.* Tshingwe, zingwe.
Rot, *v. i.* Ku bvunda; ku ola.
—— *v. t.* *To cause to rot*, Ku bvunditsa.
—— *n.* Tshibvunde, dzibvunde.
Rotate, *v. i.* Ku zungulira.
Rotation. Kuzungulira.
Rotten, *a.* -*O*bvunda. *The fruit is rotten*, Dzobala dziri dzobvunda.
Rough, *a.* *As a coarse garment*, -*O*kakalala.
—— *Uneven*, -*O*kanambala.
—— *v. i.* Ku kakalala.
Roughly, *adv.* Kokakalala.
Roughness, *n.* Kukakalala.
Round, *v. i.* *To go round, of the thing itself*, Ku zungulira.
—— *To go round, about a thing which is in itself stationary*, Ku zunguniza.
—— *n.* Kuzungulira.
—— *A round thing, as a ball*, -*A*tendeuka; -ozungulira.
—— *a.* *Spherical*, -*O*bulungika.
Roundness, *n.* Kutendeuka.
—— *Spherical*, Kubulungika.
Rouse, *v. i.* *To stir up to action*, Ku fulumira; ku fulumitsa.
—— *To rouse from sleep or inaction*, Ku utsa; ku galamutsa (*from sleep only*).
—— *To rouse anger*, Ku kwiitsa.
—— Ku dziutsa. *Rouse yourself*, Dziutsa.
Rove, *v. i.* Ku endaenda.
Rover, *n.* *A wanderer, one who rambles about*, Woendaenda, oendaenda.
Row, *n.* *Of things, as of trees or poles*, Nzere, mizere.
—— *Of persons*, Fundi, mifundi.
—— *Of beads on a garment*, Kundandalika; kongo, (la) makongo. *Or any bright or showy things, hence applied to the belt in the constellation Orion*, Fundi, mifundi.
—— *v. t.* Ku palasa.
Royal, *a.* -*A*fumu.
Rub, *v. t.* *To rub any part of the body so as to cause warmth from friction*, Ku titshita.

Rub, *v. t. To rub against, as an animal against a post,* Ku kanda.
—— *Or wipe,* Ku pukuta.
—— *Or wipe away tears,* Ku tsitsitiza.
—— *To rub the eyes on waking, or in the hands,* Ku sikisa.
—— *To rub down, as a cat,* Ku sisita.
—— *To rub dry,* Ku pukuta; ku pukutira.
Rubbish, *n. Light, as dried leaves,* Zinyalala.
—— *Refuse, as weeds from a garden,* Zirombo.
Rudder, *n.* Tsigiro, matsigiro; tsikiro, matsikiro; tsijiro, matsijiro.
Ruddy, *a.* -*O*limba.
Rude, *a.* -*A*mphwaiyu; -otsiruka. *A rude child,* Mwana wamphwaiyu.
Rudely, *adv.* Kwamphwaiyu.
Rudeness, *n.* Umphwaiyu (wa).
Rudiment, *n. Element,* Tshoiamba, zoiamba.
Ruffian, *n.* Watshilope, atshilope.
Rug, *n.* Tshopfunda, dzopfunda.
Ruin, *n. Overthrow, defeat,* Kuinjitsidwa; kutamangitsidwa.
—— *Destruction, desolation,* Pasuko, (la) mapasuko.
—— *v. t. To scatter,* Ku balalitsa. *To demolish, to destroy,* Ku pasuka.
—— *To spoil, to render unfit for service,* Ku ononjeka.
Ruined, *a.* -*O*pasukidwa.
Ruinous, *a.* -*O*pasula.
Ruinously, *adv.* Kopasula.
Rule, *n. Measure,* Mulinganizo, milinganizo.
—— *Government,* Kuweruza.
—— *v. t. As a magistrate in the administration of law, as a king ruling the nation, or a general commanding an army,* Ku weruza.
—— *As an overseer or superintendent,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *To arbitrate,* Ku lekanitsa.
Ruler, *n. Of a nation,* Woweruza, oweruza.
—— *Chief,* Fumu, (ya) mafumu.
—— *An overseer, a superintendent,* Woyang'anira, oyang'anira.
Rumble, *v. i.* Ku guguluzika.
Rumbling, *a.* -*O*guguluzika.
Rumour, *n.* Mbiri, zimbiri. *A slight rumour,* Kambiri, timbiri.
Rump, *n. Of an animal,* Tako, (la) matako.
Run, *v. i. To run from,* Ku tamanga.
—— *To run towards,* Ku tamanga kwa (mapiri).
—— *To run a race,* Ku tamangira pa modzi.
—— *To run away, to abscond,* Ku tawa.
—— *To run or climb as plants,* Ku anga.
—— *To run over, as a liquid,* Ku tsanula.
—— *To overflow,* Ku sampuka.
—— *To run over, as dry grain in a measure,* Ku taikira *and* ku kutula.
—— *To run off (of person),* Ku zemba.
—— *To run off, as rain off a house,* Ku tserereka.
—— *To run after, or chase,* Ku tamangitsa.
—— *To run against anything so as to cause pain, as a foot,* Ku gunda; ku puntwa.
—— *To run together,* Kutamangirana.
—— *To run into a place,* Ku tamangira umo.
Runner, *n.* Wotamanga, otamanga.
Rupture, *v. t. To break through,* Ku bola.
—— *n.* Kung'amba.
—— *Quarrel,* Kukangana.
—— *Hernia, inguinal,* Mwela and miela zimwela.
—— *Hernia, umbilical,* Ntshofu, zintshofu.
Rush, *n. A plant,* Gumbwa, agumbwa.

Rush, *v. i.* Ku tamanga.
—— *As water,* Ku kwenkwenuka.
—— *Down,* Ku tsika nsanga.
Rushing, *a.* -*O*tamanga; -okwenkwenuka.
—— *n.* Kukwenkwenuka; kokwenkwenula.
Rust, *v. i.* Kú li dzimbiri; ku li ndi dzimbiri.
—— *n. Of metals,* Dzimbiri (*a plu. form*).
—— *The rust in corn,* Tshuku, dzuku.
Rusty, *a.* -*A*dzimbiri.

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S has in Chinyanja the sound of *s* in sun.
Sabbath, *n.* Sabata; dzua la Mwini; dzua la Mulungu.
Sable, *a.* -*A*kuda.
Sack, *n. Common sack,* Tumba, (la) matumba.
—— *The native sack made from the skin of a wild animal for carrying the smoking pipe and tobacco,* Tumba la tshikopa; matumba a tshikopa.
Sackcloth, *n.* Tshiguduli, ziguduli, *and* maguduli; nsaru yakuda ya mbuzi.
—— Mansanza.
Sacrament, *n. The Lord's Supper,* Ngonero wa Mwini, migonero ya Mwini.
Sacrifice, *n. Sacrifice of thanksgiving,* Nsembe yakusimba, nsemba zakusimba.
—— *An atonement,* Nsembe yakutshoka mpingu kwa antu.
—— *An offering,* Nsembe, zinsembe; tshaulere, dzaulere.
Sad, *a.* -*A*nsoni. *I am sad,* Diri ndi nsoni.
—— *To be sad,* Ku dera nkope; ku kala ndi nsoni.
—— *Melancholy,* -*A*tshilope.
Sadden, *v. t.* Ku kalitsa nsoni.
Saddle, *n.* Tshokalira, dzokalira.
Sadness, *n.* Tshisoni *and* nsoni, zinsoni.
—— *Melancholy sadness,* Tshilope, dzilope.
Safe, *a.* -*O*pulumuka; *as of a shut door,* -olimba.
Safely, *adv.* Kopulumuka; kolimba.
Safety, *n.* Kupulumuka; mwai, miai.
Sail, *v. i.* Ku enda ndi matanga.
—— *Sail past,* Ku pitirira.
—— *n.* Tanga, (la) matanga.
Sailor, *n.* Wamatanga, amatanga; marinyero, amarinyero.
Saint, *n.* Woyera, oyera. *All the saints salute you,* Oyera onse autsa inu.
Sale, *n.* Kugulitsa.
Saliva, *n.* Mate.
Salt, *n.* Mtshere *and* ntshere, mitshere.
—— *a.* -*A*ntshere.
—— *v. t. Flavour,* Ku kometsa.
Saltness, *n.* Umtshere; nyongo zinyongo.
Salutation, *n.* Utso, (la) mautso.
Salute, *v. t.* Ku utsa; ku lemekeza.
Salvation, *n.* Kupulumutsa; kupulumutsidwa.
Same, *a.* -*O*mwe; modzimodzi.
Sanctification, *n.* Kuyeretsa; kuyeretsedwa. *For this is the will of God, even your sanctification,* Kuti kumene kuli kufuna kwa Mulungu, *inde* kuyeretsa kwanu.
Sanctify, *v. t. To separate to holy purposes,* Ku yeretsa.
—— *To purify,* Ku sambitsa; ku tsuka.
Sanction, *v. t.* Ku bvomera.
—— *n.* Kubvomera; bvomero, (la) mabvomero.
Sanctuary, *n.* Malo oyera. *Lit. The holy place.*
Sand, *n.* Ntshenga, mitshenga.
Sandal, *n.* Tshikwakwata, dzikwakwata.

Sapphire, *n.* Safiro.
Sardius, *n.* Sardiyo.
Sardonyx, *n.* Sardonis.
Satiate, *v. t.* *To glut,* Ku tsendera.
—— *To feed to the full,* Ku dietsa; ku kutitsa.
Satisfaction, *n.* Kutshurukitsa.
——*v. i.* *To express satisfaction with a thing,* Ku simba.
Satisfied, *a.* -Otshurukitsa; -osimbidwa; -okwanidwa.
Satisfy, *v. t.* Ku kwana; ku kwanira; ku kwanitsa.
—— *To satisfy hunger,* Ku kuta.
Saunter, *v. i.* Ku endaenda.
Save, *v. t.* Ku pulumutsa (*of persons or living creatures*).
Saviour, *n.* Mpulumutsi, apulumutsi.
Savour, *n.* *Taste,* Nyongo, zinyongo.
—— *Smell,* Tshonung'kira, zonung'kira.
Savoury, *a.* -Abwino. *Savoury food,* Kudia kwabwino.
Saw, *n.* *A cutting instrument,* Mpeni wansakadzi, mipeni yasakadzi; saroti, (la) masaroti.
—— *v. t.* *To cut with a saw,* Ku tsheka.
—— *To cut asunder,* Ku tsheka kolekanitsa.
Say, *v. i.* Ku ti; ku nena. *I say,* Diti. *What will you say?* Udzanena tshiani. *I will say it is true,* Didzanena tshiri tshoona.
—— *To say so,* Ku nena tshointsho. *They say so,* Anena tshointsho.
Scab, *n.* *Of a sore,* Kanambo, zinkanambo.
Scabbard, *n.* Banzi, (la) mabanzi.
Scaffold, *n.* *For building,* Tsanja, (la) matsanja.
Scald, *v. t.* Ku psa.
—— *To scald another,* Ku otsha.
Scales, *n.* *Of a fish,* Bamba, (la) mamba.
—— *Scurfy scales on the flesh,* Fufu, zimfufu.
Scandal, *n.* *Evil speaking,* Kulankula koipa.
—— *Shame,* Manyazi.
Scandalize, *v. t.* *To put to shame,* Ku patsa manyazi; ku nyazitsa.
—— *To speak evil of,* Ku namiza; ku lankula koipa ndi.
Scar, *n.* Tshinja, dzinja.
Scarcely, *a.* Kolimba.
Scarcity, *n.* *Few of,* Kuwerenjeka *and* kuwereng'jeka.
—— *The want of,* Kupanda; kusoa.
Scare, *v. t.* Ku ingitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku inga.
Scarf-skin. *The cuticle,* Mfundu, zimfundu.
Scarify, *v. t.* Ku tema.
Scatter, *v. t.* Ku balalitsa.
—— *As dust,* Ku nyenya.
—— *v. i.* *To disperse,* Ku balalika.
Scent, *v. t.* *To smell,* Ku nung'ka.
—— *To follow by the scent, as a dog following game,* Ku nung'kiza.
—— *n.* *Odour,* Tshonung'kira, dzonung'kira; fungo, (la) mafungo. *A bad odour,* fungo loipa. *A good odour,* Fungo labwino.
Sceptic, *n.* Wosamvana, osamvana.
Sceptre, *n.* Ndodo yatshifumu.
Scheme, *n.* Liuma, (la) maliuma.
——*v.* Ku tshita liuma.
Schism, *n.* *Faction,* Gawano, (la) magawano.
Scholar, *n.* Wopunzira, opunzira; wakupunzira, akupunzira.
School, *n.* Skulu, (la) maskulu.
Scissors, *n.* Tshosenjera, dzosenjera.
Scoff, *v. t.* *To deride,* Ku nyansa.
Scoffer, *n.* Wosinjirira, osinjirira.
Scold, *v. t.* Ku kalipira.
—— *n.* Wokalipa, okalipa.
Scolding, *n.* Kukalipa.
Scoop out, *v. t.* *To hollow,* Ku tendeula.
Scorch, *v. t.* *By putting too near a fire,* Ku pyetsa; ku psetsa.
—— *v. i.* *To roast,* Ku otsha.
—— Ku nyala.

Scorn, *v. t.* Ku nyada.
—— *n.* Kunyada.
Scornful, *a.* *Haughty,* -Onyata.
Scorpion, *n.* Tshinkanira, dzinkanira; karizi, akarizi.
Scourge, *v. t.* *To lash,* Ku kwapula.
—— *n.* *A whip,* Tshikoti, dzikoti; nsempere, zinsempere.
Scout, *n.* *A spy,* Mzondi *and* nzondi, zinzondi.
—— *v. i.* *To act as a spy,* Ku zonda.
Scrape, *v. t.* *To scrape the hair off a hide in dressing it,* Ku pala; ku kudzula.
—— *To scrape the scales off fish,* Ku pala.
Scraping, *n.* Kukudzula (tshikopa, *a skin*); kupala.
Scratch, *v. t.* *To scratch with the nails, to claw,* Ku kanda.
—— *To scratch the ground, as a hen,* Ku fulukuta.
—— *To scratch out, to efface, as writing with a knife,* Ku pala.
—— *To scratch the back of the head,* Ku yambasa mutu.
—— *To scratch the thigh,* Ku yambasa tshafu.
—— *n.* Kando, (la) makando; kukanda.
Scream, *v. i.* Ku lira; ku pfula.
—— *n.* Liro, (la) maliro; ku lira.
Screen, *v. t.* *To shelter by an erection from wind or weather,* Ku tshinga.
—— *To protect by coming between the person and danger,* Ku letsetsa.
—— *n.* Tshotshinjira.
Scrip, *n.* *A bag,* Tumba, (la) matumba.
Scriptures, *n.* *The canonical writings,* Malemba.
Scum, *n.* Pobvu, (la) mapobvu.
Scurf, *n.* Fufu, zimfufu.
Sea, *n.* Nyanja yamtshere.
Sea-cow, *n.* Mvu, amvu.
Seal, *n.* *Signet,* Tshosindikiza, dzosindikitza; shozindikitsa.
—— *v. t.* *To impress a seal on anything,* Ku sindikiza.
—— *To seal up, to close by sealing,* Ku tseketsa.
Seam, *n.* *In sewing, hem,* Nsono, misono.
Sear, *v. t.* *To brand,* Ku otsha.
Search, *v. t.* *To search for a thing,* Ku funa.
—— *To search or inquire after,* Ku funsa.
—— *To search out, to investigate a matter,* Ku funsitsa.
—— *n.* Kufuna; kufunsa; kufunsitsa.
Seas, *n.* *Waves or currents,* Fundi, (la) mafundi.
Season, *n.* *Any time as distinguished from other,* Nyengo, zinyengo.
—— *A period, a specified time,* Ntawi.
—— *n.* *One of the four seasons of the year,* Nsiku, zinsiku. *Some count three seasons to the year:* Dzinja, *spring and summer;* Masika, *literally harvest, or autumn; and* Malimwe, *winter or the dry season. Others insert* Muwondo *between* Malimwe *and* Dzinja, *taking half a moon of* Malimwe, *one moon and half a moon of* Dzinja, *being the time when the trees bud, and when there is usually much thunder and lightning; but it does not include the time of sowing grain, as maize, which is in* Dzinja.
—— *v. t.* Ku kometsa.
Seasonably, *adv.* Kwansiku; kwabwino.
Seat, *n.* Mpando, mipando; pokalira.
—— *v. t.* Ku kalitsa pansi.
Seclude, *v. t.* *To shut out,* Ku sungitsa.
—— *v. i.* *To separate one's self from others,* Ku kala kwauliri.

Seclusion, *n.* Ukaliri.
Second, *a.* -*A*tshiwiri.
Secondly, *adv.* Kwatshiwiri.
Secret, *a.* *Secret things,* Biso, (la) mabiso.
—— *In secret,* M' tseri.
—— *n.* *A secret thing,* -*A*kutseri.
—— *A secret communication,* Kunena kwakutseri.
Secretary-bird, *n.* *There are two species,* Nkue, mikue ; dzanjampako, adzanjampako.
Secrete, *v. i.* Ku bisala.
—— *v. t.* *A thing,* Ku bisa.
—— *To hide away a thing under another, or in the earth,* Ku bisa ; ku bisa kokwirira.
Secretion, *n.* Kubisa.
Secretly, *adv.* Kutseri.
Sect, *n.* Kugana, magano.
Secure, *v. t.* Ku limbitsa.
Securely, *adv.* Kolimba.
Security, *n.* *Bail,* Tshigwiriro, dzigwiriro.
Sediment, *n.* Dikwidikwi, zidikwidikwi ; nsenga, zinsenga za moa.
Sedition, *n.* Kupinduka.
Seduce, *v. t.* *To draw aside from rectitude,* Ku tshimwitsa.
Seducer, *n.* Wotshimwitsa, otshimwitsa.
Seducing, *a.* -*O*tshimwitsa.
See! *interj.* Ona ! onatu ! onani ! *See! there come the people,* Ona ! antu alinkudza.
—— *v. t.* Ku penya ; ku ona.
Seed, *n.* Mbeu, zimbeu.
Seek, *v. t.* Ku funa.
Seem, *v. i.* *To seem to be,* Ku enedwa ; ku li ngati ndi.
—— *To resemble,* Kufanafana.
Seemly, *a.* *Becoming, fit,* Koyang'anika ; bwino.
See-saw, *n.* Zende, (wa) mazende.
Seethe, *v. t.* Ku pika ; ku wiritsa.
Seize, *v. t.* *To lay hold of,* Ku gwira.
—— *To take forcible possession of, as of a man's cattle,* Ku landa.
—— *To cling to,* Ku fumbata.
Seizure, *n.* Kugwira ; kulanda.
Select, *v. t.* Ku sang'ka.
Selections, *n.* *Parts taken from a whole,* Sang'ko, (la) masang'ko.
Self, *pron.* -Eka. *Myself,* Ine ndeka. *Yourself,* Iwe weka. *Himself,* Ie eka. *He was there himself,* Anali apo ie eka. *I did it myself,* Dinatshita ndeka. *The reflective form of the verb is often used when Myself, Himself, or Yourself is used with an active verb. He killed himself,* Anadzipa. *He loves himself,* Adzikondā. *The woman admires herself,* Nkazi anadzisimba. *Of myself, I did it of myself,* Dinatshita kwa ine ndeka. *Of himself, He did it of himself,* Anatshita wa ie eka ; *that is, He did it of his own free will. Of themselves,* Anatshita kwa iwo oka.
Self-abnegation, *n.* Kudzikana.
Self-denial, *n.* Kudzikaniza.
—— *To practise self-denial,* Ku dzikaniza.
Self-love, *n.* Kudzikonda.
Self-same, *n.* -*A*mene, *with pronoun added,* Antu amenewa. *The forms vary according to the prefix of the noun for which the pronoun is used. The self-same man,* Mamuna amene.
Self-will, *n.* Kudzisamalira.
Self-willed, *a.* *Destructive, as a spoilt child,* -*O*simbwa.
Sell, *v. t.* Ku gulitsa.
Seller, *n.* Wogulitsa, ogulitsa.
Selves, *n.* *Plural of Self, which see,* -*O*ka. *Ourselves,* Ife toka.
Semblance, *n.* Kufana.
Seminal fluid, *n.* *Of all animals,* Umuna.
—— *Of man alone,* Nsala, misala.
Seminary, *n.* *A place of education,* Skulu ; skulu lalikuru.
Senate, *n.* Gulu la akuru.

Send, *v. t.* Ku tumiza.
—— *To send back,* Ku bweza.
—— *To send a message, to commission or send on a certain work or purpose,* Ku tumiza ntenga.
—— *To send away,* Ku tshotsa.
Sense, *n. Faculty by which external objects are perceived,* Dziwiko, (la) madziwiko.
—— *The understanding,* Nzeru, zinzeru.
Senseless, *a.* -*O*pusa.
Sensible, *a.* -*A*nzeru.
Sensual, *a. Carnal,* -*A*tupi.
—— *To be sensual,* Ku yaluka.
Sensuality, *n.* Kuyaluka.
Sentence, *n. Judicial,* Kulamula ; kumariza.
—— *v. t. To award punishment,* Ku sutsa.
Sentinel, } *a.* Wodikira, odikira.
Sentry, }
Separate, *v. t. To take away from, to withdraw from each other,* Ku lekanitsa.
—— *To divide,* Ku gawa.
—— *To put apart,* Ku sunta.
—— *v. i. To choose,* Ku sang'ka.
—— *To become disunited, to withdraw from each other,* Ku lekana ; ku ganikana.
Separately, *adv.* Kolekanitsa.
Separation, *a.* Kulekanitsa ; kulekana.
Sepulchre, *n.* Mwanda, mianda.
Sepulture, *v. t.* Kuika m' mwanda.
Sermon, *n.* Uzo, (la) mauzo ; punzitso, (la) mapunzitso.
Serpent, *n.* Njoka, zinjoka.
Servant, *n. Male (household),* Bandazi, abandazi, *and* bandazi wamamuna.
—— *Female,* Bandazi wankazi.
—— *Keeper, or one who cares for,* Wosunga, osunga.
—— *Waiter,* Woimirira, oimirira.
—— *Of sick person,* Wotangatira, otangatira.
Serve, *v. t. To work for,* Ku imirira ; ku tumidwa.
Service, *n.* Kuimirira (kwa).
Serviceable, *a.* -*O*imirira ; -*o*enedwa kwa ntshito.
Set, *v. t. To put or place,* Ku ika. *Set it here,* Ika apa.
—— *To set a pot on the fire,* Ku tereka.
—— *To set in order,* Ku ala.
—— *As books, etc.,* Ku dandalitsa.
—— *To set in order for,* Ku dandalikira.
—— *To set or plant,* Ku oka.
—— *To set a small plant,* Ku bzala.
—— *To set forward, to convoy,* Ku perekeza ; ku tsogolera.
—— *To set upon,* Ku lowerera.
—— *To set foot on to,* Ku turuka.
—— *To set forth to, as to choose a guide from the company, and make him march in front,* Ku pakula.
—— *To set, as the sun or the heavenly bodies,* Ku loa ; ku doka.
—— *To set a trap for game,* Ku tshera (msampa).
—— *To set at liberty,* Ku masula.
—— *To set free, manumit,* Ku patsa ufulu.
—— *To set at naught, to make light of,* Ku peputsa.
—— *To make mention of a fault,* Ku puta.
—— *Or be seated,* Ku kazikwa.
—— *At variance,* Ku kwiitsana.
—— *A watch,* Ku kalitsa ; ku dikiritsa.
—— *a. Fixed, appointed,* -*O*kazika.
Settle, *v. t. To establish or fix,* Ku limbitsa.
—— *To settle by taking* ad avizandum, *or by leaving off,* Ku eteka.
—— *To settle a dispute,* Ku ta *or* ku mariza (mrandu).
—— *v.i. To settle down after excitement or anger,* Ku gwa ntima.
—— *To settle a quarrel for one,* Ku leketsa ; ku letsetsa.

Settle, *v. t.* *To settle, as dregs of liquor, or mud in muddy water,* Ku tera ; ku dika ; ku dikitsa.
—— *To settle, to abide in a place,* Ku kala. *Where are you settled?* Ukala kuti ?
—— *To settle by leaving off, also to pacify a child,* Ku eteka.
Seven, *a.* -Sanu ndi -wiri. *Seven men,* Antu asanu ndi awiri. *Seven cattle,* Ng'ombe zisanu ndi ziwiri.
Sevenfold, *a.* -*O*pindidwa kasanu ndi kawiri.
Seventeen, *a.* Kumi ndi -sanu ndi -wiri.
Seventh, *a.* -*A*tshisanu ndi tshiwiri.
Seventy, *a.* Makumi asanu ndi awiri.
Sever, *v. t.* Ku dula ; ku gawa ; ku tshotsa.
—— *v. i.* *To come to naught,* Ku pangidwa tshabe.
Severally, *adv.* Koanjanitswa. (*Altogether,* Onse.)
Severity, *n.* Kulimba.
Sew, *v. t.* Ku soka.
Sewed, / **Sewn,** } *p.p.* -*O*sokedwa.
Shabbiness, *n.* *Of dress,* Usiwa.
Shabby, *a.* -*A*usiwa.
Shade, *n.* *In a forest, or under a mountain side,* Tshitunzi, dzitunzi.
—— *From a temporary erection, or from a single tree,* Tshitunzi ; ntunzi, mitunzi.
—— *Shades of evening,* Mitunzi ya madzulo.
Shadow, *n.* *Representation of a body by which the light is intercepted,* Ntunzi, mitunzi ; tshitunzi, dzitunzi.
Shake, *v. t.* *To cause trembling,* Ku ntuntumiritsa.
—— *To shake a garment or cloth,* Ku kutumula.
—— *To agitate, to cause quick vibrations, as the wind shakes a tree,* Ku gwedeza.
Shake, *v. i.* *To tremble, as from fear,* Ku ntentemera.
—— *To shake or shiver with cold,* Ku ntuntumira ndi kuzizira.
—— *To shake with a trembling vibratory motion, as the earth when shaken by an earthquake, or a house when shaken by thunder,* Ku ntuntumira.
—— *v. i.* Ku ntuntumira.
—— *To shake the body,* Ku takata.
—— *To shake of itself, as a tree,* Ku gweda.
—— *To shake together, as grain in a measure,* Ku sukusana ; ku sukusa.
—— *To shake out,* Ku kutumula.
—— *To shake or wag the head,* Ku pukusa.
—— *To shake off,* Ku sansa ; ku kang'ka.
Shallow, *n.* *A shallow place in a river,* Pa kupwa.
—— *a.* -*O*saiya *and* -osaia.
Sham, *v. i.* Ku nyenga.
—— *n.* Tshinyengo, dzinyengo.
Shambles, *n.* Malo opera nyama.
Shame, *v. t.* *To make ashamed, to put to shame,* Ku patsa manyazi.
—— *To disgrace,* Ku nyazitsa.
—— *To scare,* Ku ingitsa.
—— *v. i.* *To be ashamed,* Ku kala ndi manyazi.
—— *n.* *Ignominy, disgrace,* Manyazi.
—— *Modest shame,* Manyazi ; kudzinga. (*See* **Bashfulness.**)
Shamefully, To treat, *v.* Ku tshita zoipa na ; ku sautsa.
Share, *v. t.* *To part amongst or give, as food,* Ku patsa ; ku ning'ka.
—— *To divide in parts,* Ku gawa ; ku *and* kwi anja.
—— *n.* *Part,* Nusu.
—— Monga ; (*his share*) monga atshi.
—— *Division,* Kugawa.
Sharer, *n.* *Partaker,* Wogawana, ogawana ; *and* wogana.

Shark, *n.* Nangumi, anangumi.
Sharp, *a.* -*A*kutwa. *Sharp words,* Mau okaripa; mau akulimba; mau olimba.
—— *Sharp and two-edged,* -*A*kutwa konsekonse.
Sharpen, *v. t.* *As an axe,* Ku nola.
—— *To sharpen to a point, as a stake to prepare for driving into the ground,* Ku songola.
Sharply, *adv.* Kokaripa; kolimba; kwakutwa.
—— *Angrily,* Ndi kukwia.
Sharpness, *n.* Kukaripa; kutwa.
Sharp person, *n.* Muntu wotshenjera, antu otshenjera.
Shave, *v. t.* *To shave the face or head,* Ku meta.
—— *To shave off, as a carpenter from a board, or a currier from leather,* Ku pala.
Shaved head, *n.* Mpala.
She, *pron.* Ie. *As nominative to the verb, the pronominal verbal prefix is used. She speaks,* Anena.
Sheaf, *n.* Mtolo, mitolo.
Shear, *v. t.* Ku senga.
Shearer, *n.* Wometa, ometa.
Sheath, *n.* *Of knife,* Mbanzi, mabanzi.
Shed, *v. t.* *To spill, as water,* Ku gabvikira.
—— *As blood,* Ku turutsa mwazi; ku ketsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku gabvikidwa; ku ketsedwa; ku turutsidwa.
—— *To shed upon by pouring upon,* Ku tsanulira; ku ketsa; ku tsira.
—— *n.* *A covering from the sun or rain,* Ntunzi wakonde, mitunzi yakonde.
Sheep, *n.* Nkosa, zinkosa; nkosa, ankosa; ngoza, angoza *and* zingoza.
Sheepfold, *n.* Tanga, (la) matanga.
Sheet, *n.* Tshopfunda, dzopfunda.
Shelf, *n.* Tsanja, matsanja.
Shell, *n.* *The hard outside covering, as of a nut,* Koko, (la) makoko.
—— *Eggshell,* Tshikabado tsha dzira, dzikabado dza madzira.
—— *The covering of a crustaceous animal,* Nkono, zinkono.
Shelter, *v. t.* *From wind or weather,* Ku tshinga.
—— *To defend, to protect from danger,* Ku sunga.
—— *To hide from view,* Ku bisa.
—— *n.* *From the weather,* Kusungira.
—— *The lee side,* Kudika.
—— *From danger,* Kopulumukira.
—— *A hiding-place,* Malo obisalira.
Sheltered, *a.* *From weather,* -*O*sungira; -osungidwa.
—— *From danger,* -*O*pulumukira; opulumukiridwa.
Shepherd, *n.* Mbusa, abusa.
—— *v. t.* Ku busa.
Shew. (*See* **Show.**)
Shewbread, *n.* Mikate yoonetsa.
Shield, *n.* Tshikopa, dzikopa.
—— *v.* Ku pfunda.
Shift, *v. t.* Ku sunta.
Shin-bone, *v.* *Of a person,* nsongolo, misongolo. *Of an animal,* Tshiboda, dziboda.
Shine, *v. i.* *To glitter or sparkle with light,* Ku ng'azimira.
—— *To give light, as the sun or a lamp,* Ku wala.
Ship, *n.* Tshombo, dzombo.
Shipwreck. *To make shipwreck,* Ku bandula; ku swa tshombo.
Shirt, *n.* Shirte, (la) mashirte.
Shiver, *v. i.* *To tremble, as from fear,* Ku ntentemera.
—— *To shiver with cold,* Ku ntuntumira.
Shivering, *n.* Kuntentemera; kuntuntumira.
Shivers, *n.* *Pieces,* Pale, (la) mapale.

Shoe, *n.* Nsapato, zinsapato.
—— *Sandal,* Tshikwakwata, dzikwakwata.
—— *Shoe-sole,* Tshikato tsha nsapato, dzikato dza nsapato.
—— *v. t.* Ku bvala mapazi.
Shoot, *v. t. To discharge a gun with powder merely,* Ku omba (mfuti).
—— *To shoot at, with ball cartridge,* Ku ombera.
—— *To shoot an arrow from a bow,* Ku ponya (mubvi).
—— *To germinate, to bud, to put forth, as leaves,* Ku pukutika; ku pakatika.
—— *As a sprout,* Ku puka.
Shop, *n.* Nyumba ya maronda; nyumba ya ntshito; storo, (la) mastoro.
Shore, *n. Inhabited,* Doko, (la) madoko; ntunda, mitunda.
—— *Uninhabited,* Gombe, (la) magombe.
Short, *a. Not long, -A*fupi. *A short man,* Muntu wamfupi.
Shorten, *v. t. To shorten by taking from the length,* Ku finimpitsa; ku fupikitsa; ku fupitsa.
—— *To shorten by drawing in, as a rope,* Ku fupukitsa.
Shortly, *adv.* Ntawi yeing'ono.
Shortness, *n.* Ufupi.
Shot, *n.* Marisao.
Shoulder, *n. Upper part of,* Puzi, (la) mapuzi.
—— *Of an animal,* Pewa, (la) mapewa.
—— *Shoulder-blade,* Tshipande, dzipande.
—— *v. t. To carry a burden on the shoulder,* Ku nyamula pa puzi.
Shout, *v. i. To call to a person,* Ku itana.
—— *To utter a loud outcry,* Ku pfula. *They shout for joy,* Apfula ndi tshimwemwe.
—— *To shout, as men after victory, to exult at any occurrence,* Ku yangala; ku sekera.
Shout, *n.* Kupfula.
Shove, *v. t. To push away with violence,* Ku kang'ka.
—— *n. A nudge with or by the elbow,* Ku gunya.
Shovel, *n.* Sefo, (la) masefo.
—— **away,** *v. t.* Ku yalula.
Show, *v. t.* Ku sonya; ku sonyeza.
—— *To show favour,* Ku anja.
—— *n.* Kusonyo.
Shower, *n.* Kubvumba.
Showy, *a. Of clothes, -O*opsa; nsaru zoopsa.
Shrewd, *a. Sharp, active, -A*tshangu; -otshenjera.
—— *Sagacious, prudent, -A*nzeru.
Shrewdly, *adv.* Kotshenjera.
Shrewdness, *n.* Kutshenjera; nzeru.
Shriek, *v. i.* Ku taia mau.
—— *n.* Kutaiamau.
Shrines, *n.* Malo oyera.
Shrink, *v. t. To cause to contract,* Ku kanitsa.
—— } **Shrivel,** } *v. i. To contract,* Ku kwinyata; ku dzidzingka.
—— *Shrink from danger,* Ku opsa.
Shudder, *v. i. From fear,* Ku ntentemera; ku ntuntumira.
—— *As at bitter medicine,* Ku zirimuka.
Shun, *v. t. To avoid, to hide from,* Ku lambalala.
—— *To shun, by starting on one side,* Ku lewa.
—— *To shun from modest fear,* Ku nung'khidwa ndi.
Shut, *v. t.* Ku tseka.
—— *To shut or close the eyes,* Ku tseka maso.
—— *To shut out,* Ku tsekera kunja.
—— *To shut up,* Ku tsekera.
—— *v. i.* Ku tsekeka. *The door shuts of itself,* Tshitseko tshitsekeka.
Shy, *a. -A*manyazi.
Shyly, *adv.* Kwamanyazi.
Shyness, *n.* Manyazi.

Sick, *a.* -*O*dwala.
—— *v. i. To be sick,* Ku dwala.
Sickle, *n. Reaping hook,* Sekile, (la) masekile.
Sickly, *adv.* Kodwala.
Sickness, *n. In general,* Kudwala; utenda, (wa) mautenda; ntenda, zintenda.
—— *Nausea,* Kusanza.
—— *A catarrh or cold,* Kugwidwa-gwidwa.
Side, *n.* Kundu, (la) makundu.
—— *Side of the human body,* Kundu, (la) makundu.
Sideways, *adv.* Ndi mbali. *To go sideways,* Ku enda ndi mbali.
Sidle, *v. i.* Ku sendeza.
Sift, *v. t.* Ku peta.
Sifting, *n.* Kupeta.
—— *Siftings of grain,* Muungu.
Sigh, *v. i.* Ku puma tuntuli; Ku dzuma; ku puma nkhweza.
—— *n.* Nkhweza, zinkhweza.
Sight, *v. i.* Ku oneka.
—— *n.* Kuona.
Sightly, *a. Pleasing to the eye,* Koongola.
Sign, *n. A mark of distinction,* Tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.
—— *A wonder, a prodigy,* Tshozizwa, zozizwa.
—— *Earnest, promise,* Kulonjezana, *and* lonjezano, malonjezano.
—— *v. t. To mark,* Ku lemba.
—— *To sign one's name,* Ku sindikitsa.
—— *To beckon,* Ku kodola.
Signal, *n. That which calls attention and gives notice of danger, or for action,* Tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.
—— *v. i.* Ku sindikiza.
Signature, *n.* Tshizindikilo.
Signet, *n.* Tshosindikiza.
Signification, *n.* Tantauzo, (la) matantauzo.
Signify, *v. t.* Ku sonyeza.
Silence, *n.* Tshete; ndu!
—— *The stillness of the atmosphere when there is no wind,* Kudika.
Silence, *v. t. To cause silence,* Ku tontoza; ku tontoletsa.
—— *To command silence,* Ku uza ku tontola; kalani tshete!
—— *v. i. To be silent,* ku kala tshete.
Silent, *a.* -*A*tshete.
Silk, *n.* Silike.
Silkworm, *n.* Tondo, (la) matondo.
Silly, *a.* -*O*pusa.
Silver, *n.* Silivere.
Silversmith, *n.* Wosula silivere.
Similar, *a.* -*O*fana ndi.
Similarity, *n.* Kufana.
Similarly, *adv.* Kofana.
Similitude, *n.* Fanizo, (la) mafanizo.
Simple, *a. Easy of performance,* -*O*pepuka.
—— *Guileless,* -*O*sanyenga.
Simpleton, *n.* Wopusa, opusa.
Simplicity, *n. Oneness,* Umodzi.
Simulate, *v. i. To feign,* Ku nyenga.
Simultaneously, *a. At the same time,* Pamodzi; pa ntawi imodzi.
Sin, *n. Fault,* Tshimo, (la) matshimo.
—— *Wickedness,* Kuipa.
—— *Iniquity,* Mpulupulu, zimpulupulu.
—— *v. t.* Ku tshimwitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku tshimwa; ku tshita mpulupulu; ku tshita dzakwaipa; ku lapa; ku samvera mau *or* mwambi.
Since, *adv. After,* Kwa ntawi; pambuiu; monga. *I will follow after,* Didzatsata pambuiu.
—— *From the time that,* Kwa ntawi yomwe.
—— *Because of that, or that being so,* Tshifuka; tshifuka kuti.
Sincere, *a.* Pure unmixed, -*O*yera. *Pure water,* Madzi oyera.
—— *Truthful, not feigned,* -*O*ona; -*a*nteradi. *Sincere words,* Mau oona; mau anteradi.
Sincerely, *adv.* Koona.

Sincerity, *n.* Kuona; nteradi.
Sinew, *n.* Ntsempa, mitsempa.
Sinful, *a.* -Oipa. *That is a sinful act,* Imene iri ntshito yoipa. *A sinful man,* Muntu woipa.
Sinfully, *a.* Kwaipa.
Sinfulness, *n.* Kuipa.
Sing, *v. i.* Ku imba.
—— *In a choir,* Ku tsheula.
—— *To sing in concert or in measured time, so as to lead the native dance,* Ku tengezana.
Singe, *v. i.* Ku waula.
—— Ku wauka.
—— *n.* Kuwaula.
Singed, *a.* -Oaukidwa.
Singer, *n.* Woimba, oimba.
Singing, *n.* Kuimba. *They minister with singing,* Aimirira ndi kuimba.
Single, *a.* *Separate, alone,* - Eka.
Singleness of heart. Ntima umodzi.
Single out, *v. t.* *To select,* Ku sang'ka. *Why do you single me out from others?* Undisang'ka ranje?
Singly, *adv.* *One by one,* Kamodzi kamodzi; modzi ndi modzi.
Sink, *v. i.* *To sink in water,* Ku bira.
—— *To fall lower, to subside, as a river,* Ku pwa. *The river is lowering,* Ntsinje ulikupwa.
—— *To be depressed,* Ku kala ndi tshisoni.
—— *To fall away, to decrease in health or flesh,* Ku onda.
—— *v. t.* *To cause to sink,* Ku biza.
—— *To sink a pit or well by digging,* Ku kumba. *This is a good place to sink a well,* Malo amene ali bwino ku kumba tshitsime.
—— *To diminish, to lessen,* Ku tshepetsa.
Sinner, *n.* Woipa, oipa; wampulupulu, ampulupulu.
Sip, *v. t.* *To sip a fluid when hot,* Ku tsopa; ku mwa.
Sipping, *n.* Kutsopa.
Sir, *n.* Fumu; Tate; Tshi; Ka.
Sister, *n.* *If spoken by a woman she says* Njiranga *for an elder,* Mpwanga *for a younger sister; and if a brother, he says* Mlongo, *plural,* Alongo.
Sister-in-law, *n.* Mlamu, alamu.
Sit, *v. i.* *To sit on a seat, or on the ground,* Ku kala pansi. *Sit down,* Kala pansi.
—— *To incubate,* Ku sukusitsa; ku fungumira.
—— *To hold a council,* Ku mva mrandu.
—— *To sit on the ground around a fire in a cowering position,* Ku zunguniza moto.
—— *To sit in a cowering position from exposure,* Ku nyunyumala.
—— *To sit on the edge of a seat as if ready to rise,* Ku kwakwalika.
—— *To sit up in bed,* Ku galamuka.
—— *To sit listlessly, as in a reverie, or on a road side, or at the door of a house, watching the passers by,* Ku nyongonyeka.
—— *To sit near to one,* Ku sendera.
—— *To cause to do so,* Ku sendeza.
Site, *n.* *Of a house,* Tshiza, dziza.
—— *Site of a deserted village,* Dzinja, (la) mainja.
Sitting, *n.* Kukala pansi.
Six, *a.* -Sanu ndi -modzi. *Six houses,* Nyumba zisanu ndi imodzi. *Six children,* Ana asanu ndi modzi. *Six trees,* Mitengo isanu ndi umodzi.
Sixteen, *a.* Kumi ndi -sanu ndi -modzi. *Sixteen vessels,* Dziwira kumi ndi dzisanu ndi tshimodzi. *Sixteen people,* Antu kumi ndi asanu ndi modzi.
Sixth, *a.* -Atshisanu ndi tshimodzi.
Sixty, *a.* Makumi asanu ndi modzi. *Sixty men,* Amuna makumi asanu ndi modzi. *Sixty women,* Akazi makumi asanu ndi modzi.

Size, *n.* *Bulk,* Kukula kwa. *What is its size?* Kukula kwatshi kuli bwanje?
—— *v.* *To be of,* Ku kwanira.
Skellum, *n.* *A scoundrel,* Muntu woipa.
Skilful, *a.* *Wary,* -Otshenjera.
—— *Judicious,* -Anzeru.
Skilfully, *a.* Kotshenjera.
Skill, *n.* Tintu, (la) matintu; nzeru, zinzeru.
Skim, *v. t.* *To skim off oil,* Ku enga.
—— *To skim, as milk,* Ku angulula *and* yangulula.
—— *To skim very carefully,* Ku angululitsa *and* yangululitsa.
Skimming, *n.* Kuangulula.
Skin, *n.* *Of a large animal, as an ox or lion,* Tshikopa, dzikopa.
—— *Of a small animal, as a sheep or goat,* Nguo, zinguo.
—— *Of the human body,* Kungu, (la) makungu.
—— *The outer skin of the body, the cuticle,* Fufu, zimfufu.
—— *v. t.* *To flay,* Ku senda; ku sadzula. *Skin the ox,* Senda ng'ombe.
Skip, *v. i.* *To leap, to hop,* Ku yang'ama; ku nyangama.
—— *As a flat stone on water,* Ku tsekereka.
Skirt, *v.* *To border, to go by,* Ku lambalala.
Skulk, *v. i.* *To hide the person,* Ku bisala.
Skulking, *n.* Kubisala.
Skull, *n.* *The human skull,* Pala, (la) mapala.
—— *Skull, or front bone of an animal's head,* Mpumi, zimpumi.
—— *v.* Ku gwetagweta.
Skull-cap, *n.* *Fez,* Topi, atopi.
Sky, *n.* *The firmament,* Mlengalenga.
Slab, *n.* Mbea, zimbea.
Slack, *a.* -Otshedwa.
—— **To be,** Ku tshedwa.
Slackness, *n.* Khutshedwa.
Slag, *n.* Makabvi, *plural form.*
Slander, *v. t.* Ku namiza; ku danitsa.
—— *n.* Kunamiza.
Slanderer, *n.* Wonamiza, onamiza; wanseke, anseke.
Slanderously, *adv.* Kodanitsa; konamiza.
Slap, *v. t.* Ku kanta.
—— *n.* Kukanta.
Slash, *v. t.* *To lay about one, as with a sword, to strike at random with a cutting instrument,* Ku pukutula.
—— *n.* Kupukutula; kutema.
Slate, *n.* Pale, (la) mapale; *from the English*) slete, (la) maslete.
Slaughter, *v. t.* *To kill men in battle,* Ku pa.
—— *To kill many,* Ku yalutsa.
—— *To kill, meaning to cut off all seed of people or trees,* Ku pulula.
—— *To butcher,* Ku pa.
—— *n.* Kuyalutsa; (*of men or animals*) kupulula.
Slave, *n.* Kapolo, akapolo.
—— *Female,* Ndzakazi, adzakazi.
Slavery, *n.* Umpawi (watshi).
Slay, *v. t.* Ku pa.
Sledge-bell, *n.* Njenje, (la) manjenje. *These are often tied round the ankles.*
Sleek, *a.* -Amyadi.
Sleep, *v. i.* *To take rest in sleep,* Ku gona.
—— *To sleep,* Ku gona tulo.
—— *To sleep or tarry for a night in a place,* Ku sotsa. *He slept there that night,* Anasotsa apo usiku udya.
—— *To be borne down with sleep,* Ku guntimidwa.
—— *n.* Tulo mwatshi *and* tulo tatshi (*his sleep*), *also* ntulo.
Sleepily, *adv.* Kwatulo.
Sleepiness, *n.* Kusinza.
Sleepy. *To feel drowsy,* Ku guntama; ku sinza. *I am sleepy,* Disinza; difuna ku gona tulo.
Sleeve, *n.* Nkono, mikono.

Sleight of hand, *n.* Tsenga la dzanja.
Slice, *n.* Tshipinjiri *and* tshipingiri.
Slide, *v.i. To slip (off foot),* Ku terera.
Slight, *v. t. To undervalue,* Ku nyozetsa.
—— *a.* -*A*ng'ono.
—— *n.* Kunyoza.
Slightly, *adv.* Kwaung'ono.
Slily, *adv.* Kotshenjera.
Slip, *v. i. As a person in walking,* Ku terera.
—— *v. t. To slip away stealthily, as from company unobserved,* Ku zemba.
—— *To slip out of the hand,* Ku pulumuka.
—— *To slip away from the grasp of another so as to escape,* Ku pulumuka. *I seized him, but he slipped out of my hands,* Dinamgwira koma anapulumuka.
Slippery, *a.* -*O*myuduka; -oterera. *This is a slippery place,* Malo amene ali oterera.
Slippiness, *n. As of a fish in hand,* Kumyuduka.
—— *Of ground,* Kuterera.
Slit, *v. t. As a piece of wood,* Ku ng'amba.
—— *To cut open, as an abscess,* Ku tumbula.
—— *n.* Tshing'ambi, dzing'ambi.
Slobber, *v. i. To eat or drink so as to allow the food to fall from the mouth,* Ku tsendera.
Slobberer, *n.* Wotsendera, otsendera.
Slope, *n. A declivity,* Kutsereka; kutseruka.
—— *v. i. To take an oblique direction,* Ku tsereka; ku tseruka.
—— *v. t. To cause to slope,* Ku tsereretsa; ku tserutsa.
Sloping, *a.* -*O*tsereka; -otseruka.
Slopingly, *adv.* Kotsereka.
Sloth, *n.* Ulesi.
Slothful, *a.* -*A*ulesi *and* -olesi; -otshedwa *and* -akutshedwa.
Slow, *a.* -*O*dodoma.
—— **To be,** Ku dodoma.
Slowly, *adv.* Pang'ono, kododoma.
Sluggish, *a.* -*A*ulesi *and* -olesi; -otshedwa.
Slumber, *v. i.* Ku sinza.
—— *n.* Kusinza.
Sly, *a.* -*O*tshenjera.
Slyness, *n.* Kutshenjera.
Small, *a.* -*A*ngono.
Smallness, *n.* Ung'ono.
Small-pox, *n.* Ntomba, zintomba.
Smart, *v. i.* Ku tsutsula.
—— *a. Lively, energetic,* -*A*tshangu.
—— *In appearance,* -*O*dzikonza.
Smartly, *adv.* Kwatshangu; kotsutsula.
Smartness, *n. Of action,* Tshangu.
—— *Of appearance,* Kudzikonza.
Smear, *v. i. To smear the floor of a house after the native fashion,* Ku zira.
—— *To be foul,* Ku ononga mpasa.
Smell, *n. Slight, unpleasant smells,* Tshonung'ka, dzonung'ka.
—— *v. t. To scent,* Ku nung'kitsa.
—— *To smell at,* Ku nung'ka.
—— *v. i. As tainted meat,* Ku nung'kira; ku nung'ka.
Smelt, *v. t. As metal,* Ku sungunutsa.
Smelter, *n.* Wosungunutsa, osungunutsa.
Smelting, *n.* Kusungunutsa.
Smile, *v. i.* Ku mwetula.
—— *n.* Tshimwetumwetu.
Smiling, *n.* Kumwetula.
Smilingly, *a.* Komwetula.
Smite, *v. t. To smite a person,* Ku menya; ku koma; ku senga.
—— *As a blacksmith,* Ku sula.
Smith, *n.* Wosula, osula.
—— *Coppersmith,* Wosula msambo, osula msambo.
Smoke, *n.* Utsi, (wa) mautsi.
——*v. i. As a chimney,* Ku fuka.
—— *v. t. As with a pipe=to smoke tobacco,* Ku koka fodia.

Smoking-horn, *n.* *Used in smoking the wild hemp,* Ngunda, zingunda.
Smooth, *v. t.* Ku salala; ku salaza; ku fafaniza.
—— *a.* -*O*salala.
—— *Calm,* -*A*bata.
Smoothly, *adv.* Kosalala; kosalaza.
Smoothness, *n.* Kusalala.
Smut, *n.* *In corn or grain,* Tshuku, dzuku (?)
Snail, *n.* Nkono, zinkono.
—— *The shell,* Tshikabado, dzikabado.
Snake, *n.* *Generic,* Njoka, zinjoka.
—— *Puff adder,* Mpiri, zimpiri.
—— *Boa constrictor* (*not poisonous*) Nsatu, zinsatu.
—— *African cobra,* Mamba, amamba. *This snake spits as well as bites.*
—— Kasongo, akasongo. *Has a red crest like a cock, very deadly.*
—— Bobo, mibobo. *Dark water snake,* 6 *to* 8 *feet long.*
Snap, *v. t.* *To break at once,* Ku tshedzukitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku tshedzuka.
—— *To break suddenly, as a thong or rope,* Ku twatsuka.
Snare, *n.* Nsampa, misampa.
—— *Noose,* Kwekwe, (la) makwekwe, *and* khwekhwe, makhwekhwe; kango, (la) makango, *and* khango, makhango.
—— *v. t.* Ku kola.
—— *To set a snare for game,* Ku tshera nsampa.
Snarl, *v. i.* *As a dog,* Ku nyindula.
Snarl, Snarling, *n.* Kunyindula.
Snarlingly, *adv.* Konyindula.
Snatch, *v. t.* Ku sompola.
—— *To seize, to lay hold of,* Ku gwira.
—— *To snatch away,* Ku kwatula.
Sneak, *v. i.* *To move about stealthily,* Ku zembazemba.
—— *To slip away from company without taking leave,* Ku dzipitira.
Sneer, *v. i.* Ku nyoza.
—— *n.* Nyozo, minyozo.
Sneering, *n.* Kunyoza.
—— *a.* -*O*nyoza; -*a*kunyosa.
Sneeringly, *adv.* Konyoza.
Sneeze, *v. i.* Ku etsemula.
—— *n.* Kuetsemula.
Snooze, *v. i.* Ku sinza.
—— *n.* Kusinza.
Snore, *v. i.* Ku tshita nkonono.
—— *n.* Nkonono, mikonono.
Snow, *n.* Nkhungu, zinkhungu.
—— *v. i.* Ku gwa nkhungu.
Snuff, *v. t.* Ku fenta.
—— *n.* Fodia ya mpuno.
Snuff-box, *n.* Ntekwe, zintekwe.
So, *adv.* *In like manner,* Tshointshi *and* tshointsho; tshomwetsho *and* tshimwetshi.
—— *In such a degree, to such extent,* -*O*tere.
—— *Do so,* Tshita tshointsho.
—— *So large, or so many,* Ukuru tshointsho ndi umbiri tshointsho.
—— *To say so,* Ku nena tshointsho. Ku lola and ku bvomera *are also used where assent is given.*
Soak, *v. t.* Ku bvika.
Soaking, *n.* Kubvika; kukatamira.
—— *Soak with rain,* Ku katamira; ku katamiridwa.
Soap, *n.* Sabao, asabao.
—— *v. t.* *To rub on,* Ku paka sabao.
Soapy, *a.* -*A*sabao.
Soar, *v. i.* Ku lenga.
Sob, *n.* Nsinsika.
—— *v. i.* Ku sinsika.
—— *Choke with sobbing,* Ku *tsa*mwa.
Sobbing, *n.* Kusinsika.
Sober, *a.* *Grave,* -*A*nzeru.
—— *Not drunk,* -*O*saledzera.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku saledzera.

Soberly, *adv.* Kosaledzera; kofatsa.
Soberminded, *a.* -*O*dziweruza.
—— *To be sobermipded,* Ku dziweruza.
Soberness, *n.* *Reason,* Dingalira.
Sobriety, *n.* Kusaledzera.
Sociableness, *n.* Kuanjana.
Sock, *n.* Tumba la pazi, matumba a mapazi.
Sod, *n.* Tshiputu, dziputu.
—— *v. i.* *To cut sods,* Ku liula.
Sodden, *a.* -*O*suruka.
Sofa, *n.* Kama, akama.
Soft, *a.* *Supple, pliable,* -*O*fewa.
—— *Soft to the touch, as a boil on the person which has come to a head, or ripe fruit,* -*O*foka.
Soften, *v. t.* Ku fewetsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku fewa.
Softly, *adv.* *Go softly,* Kofewa; pang'ono.
Softness, *n.* Kufewa.
Soil, *v. t.* *To foul,* Ku ononga; ku detsa; ku ipsa.
—— *n.* *The upper stratum of the earth,* Ntaka, zintaka.
Sojourn, *v. i.* Ku kala mlendo, alendo (*plu.*)
—— *n.* Ulendo.
Sojourner, *n.* Mlendo, alendo.
Soldier, *n.* Wankhondo, ankhondo.
Solicit, *v. t.* Ku pempa; ku funsa.
Solicitation, *n.* Kupempa.
Solid, *a.* -*O*kulungika; -olimba.
Solitariness, *n.* Untumbi (watshi).
Solitary, *a.* *Alone,* -*E*ka.
—— *A person living in solitude, refusing to associate with other people,* Wantumbi, antumbi.
—— *A solitary, unfrequented place,* Malo osapitidwa.
Solution, *n.* Sungunutso, (la) masungunutso.
Solve, *v. t.* *To dissolve,* Ku sungunutsa.
—— *To explain,* Ku sonyeza. *Solve or explain that difficulty,* Sonyeza kulemera kumene.
Some, *a.* *A portion of,* -*E*na.
Somebody, *n.* Modzi; muntu; muntu wina. *Somebody was here,* Muntu anali pano.
—— *v. i.* *To seem somebody (I am),* Diri ndeka.
Somersault, *n.* Kupinzuka.
—— *v. i.* *To turn a somersault,* Ku pinzuka.
Something, *n.* Kantu.
Somewhere, *adv.* Malo ena.
Son, *n.* Mwana wamamuna, ana amamuna.
Song, *n.* Nyimbo, zinyimbo.
Sonship, *n.* Ubwana.
Soon, *adv.* *In a short time,* Msanga *and* nsanga.
Soot, *n.* Mwai, miai.
Soothe, *v. t.* *As a child who is crying,* Ku susuza.
—— *As one in grief,* Ku ziziritsa.
Soothsayer, *n.* Muntu woombeza ula.
Soothsaying, *n.* Kuombeza ula.
Sorcerer, *n.* Mabisalira, amabisalira.
Sorcery, *n.* Umabisalira, amabisalira.
—— *v.* *To use sorcery,* Ku ombeza ula; ku bisalira.
Sore, *n.* Tshironda, dzironda.
—— *a.* *To feel sore or tender to the touch,* -*O*pweteka.
—— *v. i.* *To make sore,* Ku pwetekesa.
Sorely, *adv.* *Bitterly,* Kwambiri.
—— *Grievously,* Kwansoni.
Soreness, *n.* Kupweteka.
Sorrow, *n.* Nsoni; tshisoni.
—— *v. t.* *To give or cause sorrow,* Ku patsa tshisoni; ku mvetsa tshisoni.
—— *v. i.* Ku mva tshisoni.
Sorrowful, *a.* -*A*nsoni; -*a*tshisoni.
Sorrowfully, *adv.* Kwatshisoni.
Sort, *n.* *Kind, manner,* Mtundu, mitundu.
—— *v. t.* Ku sang'ka; ku sang'kula.
Sorts, *n.* *Things of all sorts,* Mitundu.
Sot, *n.* Woledzera, oledzera.

Soul, *n.* Moyo, mioyo; nzimu; nzeru.
Sound, *n.* Namalowe, anamalowe.
—— *v. t.* Ku omba.
—— *v. i.* Ku lira.
—— *The depth of water,* Ku yesa *and* yeza madzi.
—— *a. Healthful,* -*O*limbika.
Sounding, *a.* -*O*omba.
Soup, *n.* Suzi, misuzi.
Sour, *a.* -*O*yayamira. *Sour beer,* Moa oyayamira.
—— **To be,** *v. i.* Ku yayamira.
Source, *n.* *Native origin, beginning,* Kuamba.
—— *Source or eye of a fountain,* Malo a kasope.
Sourness, *n.* Kuyayamira.
South, *adv.* *In the south,* Kumwela.
South-east. Mwela bvuma.
South-west. Mwela zambwe.
South wind, *n.* Mwela.
Sow, *v. t.* *Broadcast,* Ku fesa.
—— *To dibble,* Ku bzala.
Sow, *n.* Nguruwe, anguruwe.
Sower, *n.* Wofesa, ofesa.
Space, *n.* *Room,* Malo.
—— *A space of time,* Ntawi.
—— *Distance of one object from another,* Kutali.
Spade, *n.* Kasu, (la) makasu.
Span, *v. i.* *As a bridge,* Ku tanda.
Spare, *v. t.* *To use tenderly, to forbear to punish,* Ku ianja *and* ku yanja.
Sparingly, *adv.* *Grudgingly,* Kotalikitsa.
Spark, *n.* Ntete, zintete.
Sparrow, *n.* Tshete, (wa) matshete; mpiningo, zimpiningo (?).
Spatter, *v. t.* Ku tsira.
Speak, *v. i.* *To articulate,* Ku lankula; ku nena.
—— *To speak out plainly,* Ku nena; ku nenetsa.
—— *To speak incoherently, also in one's sleep,* Ku bwebweta.
—— *To speak loud words,* Ku laula.
Spear, *n.* Ntungo, zintungo.
—— *v.t.* Ku lasa; ku lasa ndi ntungo.
Spearman, *n.* Wantungo, antungo.
Special, *a.* *Chosen,* -*O*sang'ka.
Species, *n.* Mko, miko.
Specify, *v. t.* *To mark out,* Ku lemba; ku sonya.
Speckled, *a.* *Speckled cattle,* Ng'ombe zamangamanga.
—— *A speckled garment,* Mwinjiro wamangamanga.
Spectacle, *n.* Kuona.
Spectacles, *n.* Mandala.
Speech, *n.* Mau; kulankula.
Speechless, *a.* -*O*sanena.
Speed, *n.* Nsangu.
—— *v. t.* Ku fulumira; ku fulumiritsa; ku fulumiza.
—— *v. i.* Ku fulumira.
Speedily, *adv.* Nsanga *and* msanga; kwasangu.
Spell, *v. t.* Ku spela.
Spend, *v. t.* *To spend time,* Ku pisa ntawi.
—— **one's self,** *v. i.* Ku dzitshita.
—— **money,** Ku gulitsa.
Sphere, *n.* Kubulungika.
Spherical, *a.* -*O*bulungika.
—— *To make spherical,* Ku bulungiza.
Spices, *n.* Zonung'kira.
Spider, *n.* Tandaudi, atandaudi.
Spill, *v. t.* Ku gabvikitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku gabvikira.
Spin, *v. t.* Ku pota (toinji).
Spine, *n.* Mafupa a nsana.
—— *The hollow in the back running down the spine,* Mbina, zimbina.
—— *Thorn,* Munga, minga.
Spirit, *n.* Nzimu, mizimu.
—— *An apparition,* Nzukwa.
Spirited, *a.* -*A*nzimu; -*a*tshangu.
Spiritless, *a.* *Depressed,* -*A*kukokoa.
Spiritual, *a.* -*A*nzimu.
Spirituality, *n.* Unzimu.
Spiritually, *adv.* Kwanzimu.
Spit, *v. i.* Ku labvula mate; ku tsira mate; ku labvula.
—— *To spit upon,* Ku tsira mate pa.
Spite, *n.* Kukwia.
Spiteful, *a.* -*O*kwia.

Spitefully, *adv.* Kokwia; ndi nkarwe.
Spittle, *n.* Mate.
Splash, *v. t.* *As water,* Ku tumbudza; ku pubvumuka.
—— *n.* Kupubvumuka.
Splashings, *n.* Kupubvumuka, mapubvumuko.
Splice, *v. t.* Ku somekera.
Splinter, *n.* Kung'ambang'amba.
Split, *v. i.* *As of a tree,* Ku ng'ambika.
—— *As of rocks,* Ku banduka.
—— *v. t.* *As of wood, or to tear, of cloth,* Ku ng'amba.
Spoil, *v. t.* *To destroy,* Ku mwaza.
—— *To waste,* Ku sakasa, *and* ku sakaza.
—— *To make bad,* Ku ipitsa.
—— *To despoil a person's goods,* Ku ononga.
—— *To make spoil of,* Ku pasula.
—— *n.* *Plunder taken in war,* Zankondo.
Sponge, *n.* Sponje, (la) masponje.
Spoon, *n.* *Ladle,* Tshipande, dzipande.
Sport, *v. t.* Ku sewera.
—— *n.* Sewero, (la) masewero.
Spot, *n.* *A mark,* Wala, (la) mawala; donto, (la) madonto.
—— *On the person, a blemish,* Banga, (la) maanga.
—— *A white spot on the forehead of an animal,* Banga loyera.
Spotted, *a.* *A spotted beast,* Nyama ya maanga.
—— *A spotted garment,* Mwinjiro wamanga.
—— *v. t.* *To make spots,* Ku dontotsheza.
Sprain, *v. i.* Ku kuruzika; ku binyizika; ku binyika.
—— *v. t.* Ku kuruzitsa, ku binyizitsa.
—— *n.* Kukuruzika.
Sprained, *a.* -Okuruzikidwa. *My foot is sprained,* Pazi langa likuruzikidwa.
Spread, *v. t.* *To spread out as a sheet,* Ku yala.
—— *To make a mat, etc., to lie on,* Ku yala.
—— *To spread, as a bird its wings,* Ku turutsa.
—— *To spread, as a sore on the body,* Ku kula.
—— *To spread sails,* Ku kueza.
—— *To spread out a hide and fasten it with pegs to the ground to dry,* Ku koma tshikopa.
—— *To spread abroad a report,* Ku buka; ku bukitsa; ku yanika.
Spring, *v. i.* *As seeds,* Ku mera.
—— *As grass after rain,* Ku biriwira.
—— *To spring, as water from a fountain,* Ku tukula.
—— *To spring, as a trap for game,* Ku kola.
—— *To spring from the ground, to leap,* Ku lumpa.
—— *To spring back, as a bow,* Ku bweza *and* ku bwera.
—— *To spring, as a flea,* Ku tulika; ku lumpa.
—— *To spring forward, to spring in,* Ku lumpira.
—— *n.* *Of lock of gun,* Kutieka.
—— *Of bow,* Kufutika.
—— *Of door lock,* Kubwezera.
—— *A bound,* Kulumpa.
—— *The spring season of the year,* Dzinja, *and also* muondo.
—— *A spring of water,* Kasope, akasope.
Sprinkle, *v. t.* Ku tsira; ku waza.
—— *To throw at,* Ku pakiza.
Sprinkled, *a.* -Owaza.
Sprinkling, *n.* Kuwaza; kutsira.
Sprit, *v. i.* *To germinate, as grain steeped for malt,* Ku mera.
Sprout, *v. i.* *To sprout from an old root, as from grass roots, or the stump of an old tree, or as a tree in spring,* Ku puka.
—— *n.* *A sprout of grain,* Kumera; mera, mimera.
—— *A shoot from an old tree or plant,* Tshitsamba, dzitsamba.

Spue, *v. i.* Ku sanza.
Spurs, *n.* *Of a cock,* Tshilimba, dzilimba.
Spy, *v. t.* *To inspect secretly, as spying out an enemy's country or camp,* Ku zonda.
—— *To peep,* Ku suzumira.
—— *To obtain intelligence,* Ku mvetsera.
—— *n.* *A person sent into an enemy's country or camp to obtain intelligence,* Nzondi, zinzondi.
Squander, *v. t.* *To spend lavishly or profusely,* Ku dietsa.
—— *To spend wastefully,* Ku sakaza.
Squanderer, *n.* Wosakaza, osakaza.
Squandering, *n.* Kusakaza.
Square, *n.* Kulinganira kanai.
—— *Square hut with pavilion roof,* Ngomi, zingomi.
Squat, *v. i.* Ku kala pansi.
Squatter, *n.* Wokala pansi.
Squatting, *n.* Kukala.
Squeak, *v. i.* Ku lira.
Squeaking, *n.* Kulira.
Squeeze, *v. t.* *To press closely,* Ku tsinyiriza.
—— *To squeeze, so as to express liquid, as a lemon,* Ku psinya.
Squeezing, *n.* Kutsinyiriza.
Squirrel, *n.* Gologolo, agologolo.
Squirt, *v. t.* Ku tshololotsa.
Squirting, *n.* Kutshololotsa.
Stab, *v. t.* Ku lasa
Stable, *n.* Nyumba ya kavalo.
Stablish, *v. t.* *To strengthen,* Ku limbikitsa.
Stack, *n.* *Of corn,* Mbua, zimbua.
Staff, *n.* *For support in walking,* Ndodo, zindodo.
Stag, *n.* *A deer,* Nyama yampongo.
Stagger, *v. i.* Ku nzepulika.
—— *As a drunken man,* Ku dzandika.
Staggerer, *n.* Wonzepulika, onzepulika; wodzandika, odzandika.
Staggering, *n.* Kunzepulika; kudzandika.
Stair, *n.* *Trestle used as such,* Tshokwelera, dzokwelera.
—— *In house, step,* Kwerero, (la) makwerero.
Stake, *n.* Ntengo wozika.
Stalk, *v. t.* *As game,* Ku betera nyama; ku wenda nyama.
—— *n.* *Of corn,* Pesi, (la) mapesi; nsinde, misinde.
Stammer, *v. i.* Ku dodoma.
Stammerer, *n.* Wododoma.
Stammering, *n.* Kudododoma.
Stand, *v. i.* Ku ima. *Stand thou,* Ima. *Stand ye,* Imani.
—— *To stand up,* Ku uka.
—— *To stand on tiptoe,* Ku kalimira.
—— *To stand in the light of another,* Ku tsita.
—— *To stand on one side, to move out of the way,* Ku pambuka.
—— *To stand aside, so as not to intercept the light,* Ku tshingama.
—— *To stand firm,* Ku ima kolimba.
—— *To stand back,* Ku bwera ndi mbuiu.
—— *Stand for anything,* Ku imirira.
—— *n.* Tshogwirira, zogwirira.
Standing, *n.* Kuima.
Star, *n.* Nyenyezi, zinyenyezi.
—— *Morning-star,* Ntanda.
Stare, *v. i.* Ku yang'ana; ku yang'anitsa.
Start, *v. i.* *To move suddenly from fright,* Ku zizimuka.
—— *To set off, to depart,* Ku muka.
—— *To start back from an object from fear,* Ku opa.
—— *To start first on a journey,* Ku amba.
—— *n.* Kuamba; kumuka; kuzizimuka; kuopa.
Startle, *v. t.* *By telling something new,* Ku zizimutsa.
Startled, *a.* -*O*zizimutsidwa.
Startling, *a.* *Alarming,* -*O*opetsa.
Starvation, *n.* Njala, zinjala.
Starve, *v. i.* Ku mva njala.

State, *v. t. To express verbally,* Ku nena.
—— *To state officially, formally,* Ku uza.
—— *n. Condition,* Makalidwe.
Statement, *n. Verbal, a narrative,* Mwambi, miambi.
—— *An official statement,* Kuuza.
—— *A written statement,* Mwambi wolembedwa.
Stature, *n.* Nsing'ku *and* msing'ku, mising'ku.
Statute, *n.* Mau.
Stay, *v. i. To stay with,* Ku kala; ku kala ndi.
—— *To stay behind,* Ku linda.
—— *To stay together,* Ku kalirana.
—— *v. t.* Ku tshirikiza. *The sailors stayed the mast,* Amatanga anatshirikiza mlongoti.
—— *n.* Ntshirikizo, mitshirikizo.
Stead, *n. In the place of, a substitute for another,* Kwa.
Steadfast, *a.* -*O*limba. *Be ye steadfast,* Kalani olimba.
Steadfastly, *adv.* Kolimba; kolimbika.
—— *To look steadfastly on a person or thing,* Ku yang'anitsa.
Steadfastness, *n.* Kukantshizira.
Steal, *v. t.* Ku ba. *To steal with violence, to rob,* Ku landa.
Stealth, *n.* Kuzemba.
Steam, *n.* Mpwea, mipwea; utsi wa madzi (*lit. Smoke of water*).
Steam-engine, *n.* Tshina lampwea, matshina ampwea.
Steamer, *n. A vessel,* Stima, (la) mastima. *From the English.*
Steel, *n.* Stile.
Steep, *a.* -*O*tseruka; -*o*terera.
—— *v. i.* Ku tseruka.
—— *v. t.* Ku bviika.
Steer, *n. A young ox,* Mfule wang'ombe, mifule yang'ombe.
—— *v. t. To steer a boat or ship,* Ku ongolera.
Steerer, *n. Steersman,* Woongolera, oongolera.
Steering, *n.* Kuongolera.
Stem, *n. Of cereals, as maize,* Nsinde, misinde.
Stench, *n.* Kunung'ka kwakuipa.
Step, *n. To ascend by,* Kwerero (la) makwerero.
—— *A stride,* Muendo, miendo.
—— *v. i. To tread,* Ku ponda.
—— *To step jauntily,* Ku pikinyika.
—— *To step from stone to stone with a springy step in crossing a river,* Ku lumpalumpa.
Stepping-stone, *n.* Mwala wolumpira, miala yolumpira.
Steps, *n. Walk or conduct in life,* Makalidwe.
Stern, *a. Severe, austere,* -*A*pe.
—— *n. Of a boat or ship,* Makalira.
Stern-looking, *a.* -*A*kuopsa.
Sternly, *adv.* Koopsa.
—— *To look sternly,* Ku yang'anira koopsa.
Sternness, *n.* Kuopsa.
Steward, *n.* Dindo, adindo.
Stewardship, *n.* Udindo, (wa) maudindo.
Stick, *v. i. To adhere, as gum or glue,* Ku imiriza.
—— *To stick fast, as a waggon from bad roads,* Ku umirira.
—— *v. t. To cause to adhere,* Ku patakiza.
—— *To stab,* Ku pisa.
—— *n. A walking-stick,* Ndodo, zindodo.
—— *With a very large knob,* Tshikung'khu, dzikung'khu.
—— *A short stick for throwing at game in hunting,* Ndodo, zindodo.
—— *A bundle of sticks,* Mtolo wa kuni, mitolo ya kuni.
Sticky, *a. As glue or honey,* -*A*tikwitikwi.
Stiff, *a. As porridge,* -*O*limba. *The porridge is stiff,* Nsima iri yolimba.
—— *As clay,* -*O*tshima; -*a*kutshima.
—— *Obstinate in conduct,* -*O*kana. *He is a stiff man,* Ali muntu wokana.

Stiffen, *v. t.* Ku limbitsa, *ctr. from* limbikitsa.
Stiffly, *adv.* Kolimba.
Stiff-necked, *a.* -*O*umirira nkosi.
Stiffness, *n.* Kulimba.
Still, *v. t.* *To silence,* Ku tontoza.
—— *To appease, to calm,* Ku susuza.
—— *To appease, as grief,* Ku ziziritsa.
—— *To comfort,* Ku sangalatsa.
—— *v. i.* *To be calm, of sea,* Ku dika.
—— *To be silent,* Ku kala tshete.
—— *a.* -*O*tshete.
—— *adv.* *To the present time,* Ntawi yonse; -*a*tsopano.
Stillness, *n.* Tshete.
Stimulant, *n.* Tshofulumiza, dzofulumiza.
Stimulate, *v. t.* *Incite to action,* Ku fulumiza.
—— *Incite to quarrel,* Ku utsa ndeu.
Sting, *v. t.* *As a bee,* Ku luma.
—— *To sting, as a nettle, to cause a smarting, burning sensation, as a blister,* Ku nyerenyetsa.
Stinginess, *n.* Kalumira.
Stingy, *a.* -*A*lumira.
—— *To be stingy,* Ku umira; ku uma manja.
—— *To be very stingy,* Ku uma ntima.
Stink, *v. i.* Ku nung'ka zoipa. *The meat stinks,* Nyama inung'ka.
—— *n.* Kunung'ka koipa.
Stint, *v. t.* Ku mana.
—— *To stint for,* Ku manira.
Stir, *v. i.* *To be in motion,* Ku endaenda.
—— *v. t.* *To move from a resting position,* Ku kantshira.
—— *To stir up, to rouse,* Ku fulumiza; ku kantshizira.
—— *To agitate, to stir up to anger,* Ku utsa ndeu; ku kwia.
—— *To stir up the fire,* Ku sonkesa; ku koleza.
Stir, *v. t.* *To stir up a mixture, as paste or porridge when being cooked,* Ku takasa.
—— *n.* *Commotion,* Kuendaenda.
Stirrup, *n.* Tshopondera tsha tshokalira.
Stitch, *v. t.* *To sew,* Ku soka.
—— *To take long stitches in sewing,* Ku tanimpitsa nsono.
—— *n.* *A sharp pain caused by running,* Kulasa; kudzidzintsa.
Stock, *n.* *Tribe,* Fuko, (la) mafuko.
—— *Seed,* Mbeu.
Stocks, *n.* Gori, (la) magori.
Stoker, *n.* Wamoto, amoto.
Stomach, *n.* *Pit of the stomach,* Pa tshombo; pa tshinena.
—— *Stomach of an animal,* Tshipfu, dzipfu.
—— *Moniplies,* Kafutshetshe.
Stone, *n.* Mwala, miala.
—— *Of fruit,* Ntanga, zintanga.
—— *Corner-stone,* Mwala wa ngondia.
—— *A millstone* (*under millstone*), Mpero, mipero; (*upper or smaller*) mwana wa mpero.
Stony, *a.* -*A*mwala; -*a*tantwe. *Stony ground,* Malo atantwe.
Stool, *n.* Mpando, mipando.
Stoop, *v. i.* Ku werama.
—— *To stoop down and peep,* Ku suzumira.
Stop, *v. t.* *To obstruct progress by barring a passage,* Ku letsa; ku tseka.
—— *To stop a quarrel,* Ku tetezana; ku letsa.
—— *v. i.* *To cease to progress,* Ku leka.
—— *To stop or turn an animal, as a runaway horse,* Ku tembenuza.
Stopper, *n.* *As of a bottle,* Tshitsekero, dzitsekero.
Store, *n.* *A stock provided,* Tshuma; maronda.
—— Nyumba ya tshuma; storo, (la) mastoro.

Store, *n.* *A store for maize made of wicker-work in the open air,* Nkokwe, zinkokwe.
—— *v. t.* *To lay by,* Ku sungira; ku kung'ka; ku kumbula.
Stork, *n.* Vuo, avuo.
Storm, *n.* Mondwe, miondwe.
—— *To gather for a storm, as the clouds before a thunderstorm,* Ku song'kana.
Story, *n.* *A narrative,* Mwambi, miambi.
—— *A fiction, a child's story, a nursery tale,* Ntanti, zintanti.
—— *Of a house—first,* Nyumba yapansi; *second,* yapamwamba; *third,* yatshitatu.
Stout-hearted, *a.* -*O*limba ntima.
Straight, *a.* -*O*lungama. *A straight pole,* Ntengo wolungama.
—— *v. i.* *To be straight,* Ku ongola.
—— *To go straight ahead,* Ku enda kolungama; patsogolo.
—— *To go in a straight course or path,* Ku enda kwakulungama.
—— *n.* *A straight course or path,* Njira yolungama.
Straighten, *v. t.* Ku ongotsa.
Straightway. Nsanga; tsopano lino.
Strain, *v. t.* *To filter, as beer,* Ku kunta.
—— *To stretch, to draw with force,* Ku koketsa.
Verbs in ula *imply exertion repeated or continued.*
—— *n.* *Force,* Mpamvu, zimpamvu.
Strained, *p.p.* *To be strained,* Ku lemedwa.
Strainer, *n.* *Strainer for beer,* Kape, akape.
Strait, *a.* *Narrow,* -*O*papatiza.
Straiten, *v. t.* Ku saukira.
Straitest, *a.* *Strictest,* -*O*limba.
Strand, *n.* *The seashore,* Doko (la) madoko.
Strange, *a.* -*O*zizwa; -osadziwika *and* -osadziwidwa.
Strange land, *n.* Dziko lina.
Stranger, *n.* Mlendo, alendo *and* aulendo; wina, ena.
Strangle, *v. t.* Ku kwipa.
Strap, *n.* Lamba, (la) malamba.
—— *v. t.* Ku manga ndi lamba.
Straw, *n.* Udzu, (wa) maudzu.
Stray, *v. i.* Ku sotshera.
Stream, *n.* *Of a river,* Ntsinje, mitsinje.
Street, *n.* Kwalala, (la) makwalala.
Strength, *n.* Mpamvu, zimpamvu.
—— *Might,* Kulimba.
Strengthen, *v. t.* Ku limbikitsa; ku limbitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku dzilimbitsa *and* ku limbika.
Stretch, *v. t.* *Stretch out the hand,* Ku turutsa.
—— *v. i.* *Across, as a bridge,* Ku tanda.
—— *As india-rubber,* Ku tamula.
Strict, *a.* -*O*limba.
Strictest, *a.* -*O*limba; -opambana.
Stride, *v. i.* *To straddle,* Ku tadzama.
—— *To take long strides in walking,* Ku tanula miendo.
—— *n.* *Step,* Muendo, miendo.
Strife, *n.* Ndeu, zindeu; nkani, (la) makani.
Strike, *v. t.* *A person,* Ku menya.
—— *With palm of hand,* Ku kanta.
—— *To strike fire with flint and steel,* Ku peka moto.
—— *To strike iron on the anvil,* Ku sula.
—— *To strike at door,* Ku gogoda.
Striker, *n.* Womenya, omenya.
Striking, *a.* *Remarkable, notable;* -*O*kumbukika; -osaiwalika.
String, *n.* Tshingwe, dzingwe.
—— *v. t.* *To file on a string, as beads,* Ku tunga.
Strip, *v. t.* *As leaves off a branch,* Ku pulula.

Strip, *v. t. As maize off a cob,* Ku tongola.
—— *To strip the cover from a maize cob,* Ku kolola.
—— *As clothes,* Ku bvula.
Stripe, *n. A line or mark,* lemba, (la) malemba.
—— *A wale on the body from the stroke of a rod or whip,* Nkwikwizimbo, mikwikwizimbo; *blows,* nkakato, mikakato.
Striped, *a. As an animal's skin,* -Apyopyololo.
—— *Striped garment,* Mwinjiro wapyopyololo.
Stripes, *v. t. To make,* Ku lemba-lemba.
Strive, *v. t. To strive together, as in wrestling,* Ku limbana.
—— *To strive with words,* Ku tetana.
—— *To contend, to endeavour,* Ku esa *and* ku yesa; ku dzifulumiza.
—— *To contend one with another,* ku yesana.
——*v. i. To make an effort, to try, to endeavour,* Ku esa *and* ku yesa.
—— *To purpose,* Ku yerekeza.
—— *To disagree, to quarrel* Ku dana.
Stroke, *v. t. To stroke gently with the hand,* Ku sisita.
—— *n. A mark,* Nkwikwizimbo, mikwikwizimbo.
—— *A blow,* Nkakato, mikakato.
Stroll, *v. i.* Ku endaenda.
Strolling, *a.* -Oendaenda.
Strong, *a.* -Olimba; ndi mpamvu. *He is strong,* Ali wolimba. *A strong man,* Muntu wolimba.
Stronghold, *n.* Linga, (la) malinga.
Struggle, *v. i. Contend with,* Ku yesa.
—— *To struggle perseveringly against difficulties, although seemingly without avail,* Ku yesayesa; ku yesabe.
Struggle, *v. i. To struggle or move in death agony, as a man or beast mortally wounded,* Ku pupa.
—— *n. Struggling,* Kuyesa.
Stub, *n. Of a tree,* Tshitsa, dzitsa.
Stubble, *n.* Tshiputu, dziputu.
—— *A field of stubble,* Munda wa dziputu.
Stubborn, *a. Obstinate,* -Okana. *A stubborn child,* Mwana wokana. *A stubborn person,* muntu wokana.
Stubbornness, *n.* Kukana.
Study, *v. i. To resolve, strive after,* Ku yerekeza.
Stuff, *v. t. To cause a person to glutton or stuff himself with food,* Ku susukitsa; ku dzisusukitsa.
—— *To stuff a sack, etc., as with wool or rags,* Ku tsendera.
——*v. i. To feed gluttonously,* Ku susukitsa.
Stumble, *v. i. By striking against anything in the path,* Ku puntwa; ku kumudwa.
—— *v. t. To cause to stumble morally,* Ku kwiitsa.
—— *Cause to doubt,* Ku dodometsa.
—— *n. Stumbling,* Kupuntwa.
Stumbling-block, *n.* Tshopuntwa.
—— *Cause of offence,* Tshokwiitsa, *also* kwiitso, (la) makwiitso.
Stumbling-stone, *n.* Mwala wa kupuntwa.
Stump, *n.* Tshitsa, dzitsa.
Stupefied, *p.p.* -Opusitsa.
—— *To be stupefied,* Ku pusitsidwa.
Stupid, *a.* -Opusa. *A stupid fellow,* Muntu wopusa.
Stupidity, *n.* Kupusa.
Stupidly, *adv.* Kopusa.
Stupor, *n.* Kuledzedwa.
Stutter, *v. i.* Ku dodoma.
Stutterer, *n.* Wamatutu, amatutu.
Stuttering, *n.* Matutu.
Sty, *n. An inclosure for swine,* Tshikukumba, dzikukumba.

Sty, *n.* *An inflamed tumour on the edge of the eye,* Nsekera, zinsekera.
Suavity, *n.* *Sweetness of manners,* Ulemu.
Subdue, *v. t.* *In war,* Ku gonjetsa.
—— *Tread down,* Ku pondereza.
Subject, *a.* *Placed under the rule of another,* Pansi pa; ku lamba kwa.
—— *n.* *That which is handled or spoken of,* Tshintu *and* kantu.
—— *v. t.* Ku gonjetsa; ku pondereza.
Subjection, *n.* *Being under the power of another,* Ku li pansi pa; ku kala pansi pa. *I am in subjection to my chief,* Diri pansi pa fumu yanga.
—— *v. i.* *To be brought into subjection, to be in subjection,* Ku kala pansi pa.
Submerge, *v. t.* Ku biza.
Submission, *n.* Kugonja; ku gwira miendo.
Submissive, *a.* -*O*gonja.
Submissively, *adv.* Kogonja.
Submit, *v. i.* *To ask for terms of peace, to acknowledge an enemy as conqueror,* Ku gonja.
—— *To come under the authority of,* Ku gwira miendo ya.
—— *To submit meekly to the will of another,* Ku lola; ku bvomera.
Suborn, *v. t.* Ku nyenyera.
Subscribe, *v. t.* *To attest by signing one's name,* Ku sindikiza.
—— *To give money for an object,* Ku patsa ndrama.
Subscriber, *n.* Wopatsa, opatsa; wolemba, olemba.
Subscription, *n.* Patso, (la) mapatso.
Subside, *v. i.* *As water in a river after a flood,* Ku tera.
Substance, *n.* *The essential part of any thing, essence,* Ntsemerero, mitsemerero.
—— *Goods, estate,* (Tshintu) zintu; zolemera; kulemera. *All their substance* zolemera zao zonse.
Substitute, *v. i.* Ku imirira wina.
—— *n.* Muimiriro, aimiriro. *Christ is our substitute,* Kristu ali muimiriro watu.
Subtility, *n.* Kutshenjera; (*deceit*) tshinyengo.
Subtle, *a.* -*O*tshenjera.
Suburb, *n.* Malo a mudzi.
Subversion, *n.* Kupondereza.
Subvert, *v.* Ku pasula; ku pondereza.
Subverted, *p.p.* -*O*pondereza.
Succeed, *v. t.* *To take the place of another,* Ku tsata; ku loeza; ku li kama.
—— *To attain an object,* Ku fikiriza.
Success, *n.* Kama, (la) makama. *Success first means task, then task finished.*
Successful, *v. i.* Ku lemerera.
Succession, *n.* Kuloeza.
Succour, *v. t.* Ku tandiza; ku tangata; ku tangatira.
—— *n.* Kutandiza; kutangata; kutangatira.
Succourer, *n.* Wotangata, otangata.
Such, *a.* -*O*tere; -*a*tshointsho; -*a*tshointshi; tshointsho; zoinzo.
Suck, *v. t.* *To suck the breast, as a baby,* Ku iamwa.
—— *With the lips,* Ku kuma.
—— *To suck a substance in the mouth, as sugar-cane,* Ku msimsima.
—— *To give suck, to suckle,* Ku yamwitsa.
—— *To cause to suck,* Ku msimsitsa.
Suckle, *v. t.* Ku yamwitsa.
Suddenly, *adv.* *Unexpectedly,* Kwansangu; nsanga; pompolino. *The thing came suddenly upon me,* Tshintu tshinafika pa ine kwansangu.
—— *On a sudden, in a moment, without any premonition,* Kufulumira.
—— *To come suddenly or unexpectedly on a thing or animal,* Ku fika koturukira; ku turukira.

Suddenness, *n.* Msanga *and* nsanga (watshi).
Sue, *v. t.* *To institute legal proceedings,* Ku tenga mrandu.
Suffer, *v. i.* *To be pained,* Ku pwetekwa.
—— *To allow,* Ku lola.
—— *To undergo, to suffer pain,* Ku mva pweteka.
—— *To endure,* Ku mvabe.
—— *To suffer loss,* Ku mva taiya.
Suffering, *n.* *Distress or injury,* Kumva; kupweteka; kumvamva.
—— *Endurance,* Kumvabe.
Suffice, *v. t.* Ku kwanitsa.
Sufficient, *a.* -*A*mbiri; -okwanira.
Sugar, *n.* Sugari.
Sugar-cane, *n.* Nzimbe, zinzimbe.
Suitable, *a.* *Proper, fit,* -*A*bwino.
—— *v. t.* *To make suitable,* Ku konza.
Suitableness, *n.* Ubwino; kukwana.
Suitably, *adv.* Kwabwino.
Sulky, *a.* -*O*da nkope; -okwiakwia.
Sultry, *a.* -*O*lemerera.
—— *A sultry day,* Dzua lolemerera.
Sum, *n.* *Sum of money,* (Ndrama) zambiri.
Summer, *n.* Dzinja.
—— *In the summer-time,* M' dzinja.
Summit, *n.* Pa nsonga.
Summon, *v. t.* *To cite in a case of law,* Ku itana ku mrandu.
—— *To call,* Ku pfula.
—— *n.* *A call,* Kuitana; kupfula.
Sumptuous, *a.* -*O*tshuruka.
Sumptuousness, *n.* Kutshuruka.
Sun, *n.* Dzua, (la) madzua.
Sunbeam, *n.* Mbalawali, zimbalawali.
Sunday, *n.* Sabata; siku *or* dzua la Mulungu; dzua la Mwini.
Sunder, *v. t.* *In two, by cutting,* Ku dula; ku duliza.
—— *By breaking,* Ku tshola.
Sunk, *a.* -*O*bizidwa; -obira.
Sunrise, Sunrising, *n.* Kuturuka kwa dzua.
Sunset, *n.* Kuloa kwa dzua; nsonga ya dzua.
Sunshine, *n.* Kuwala kwa dzua.
Sup, *v. i.* Ku dia.
Superfluity, *n.* Zambiri.
Superfluous, *a.* -*O*pambana.
Superior, *a.* Mkuru, akuru.
Superscription, *n.* Mlemba malemba.
Supper, *n.* Ngonero, migonero.
Supple, *a.* *Pliable,* -*O*tepa.
Supplicant, *n.* Wopempa, opempa.
Supplicate, *v. t.* Ku pempa; ku lamba.
Supplication, *n.* Kupempa; pempo, (la) mapempo.
Supply, *v. t.* Ku kwanitsira.
—— *To provide,* Ku pereka.
Support, *v. t.* *As a pillar,* Ku tukula.
—— *By giving food, to nourish,* Ku lera.
—— *To strengthen,* Ku limbitsa.
—— *n.* *A pillar of a house, or built pillar,* Nzati, mizati.
—— *A door post, or in wall of frame house,* Nsiki, zinsiki.
—— *Verandah post,* Nsanamira, zinsanamira.
—— *A staff,* Ndodo, zindodo.
Suppose, *v. i.* *To imagine,* Ku ganizaganiza.
Supposition, *n.* Kuganizaganiza.
Suppurate, *v. i.* Ku tsinya.
Supreme, *a.* -*O*pambana.
Sure, *a.* *Set,* -*O*ikidwa.
—— *Certain,* -*A*kuma; -oonade.
—— *Strong,* -*O*limbika; -olimba.
Surely, *adv.* Nditu; kwanteradi.
Surety, *n.* Wotangatira, otangatira.
Surfeiting, *n.* Mitshedwa.
Surge, *n.* Funde, (la) mafunde; tumbiri, (la) matumbiri.
Surmising, *n.* Kutshenjera, matshenjero.

Surname, *n.* Dzina lina.
—— *v. t.* Ku sintanitsa.
Surpass, *v. t.* Ku pitira nditu.
—— *Pass on road,* Ku pitirira.
—— *Excel,* Ku li kama.
Surprise, *n.* Kudzidzimutsa.
—— *v. t.* Ku dzidzimutsa.
—— *To draw near stealthily and take a person unawares,* Ku wenda.
Surrender, *v. t.* Ku pereka.
Surround, *v. t. Thus meet together as persons round a table, and as a girdle,* Ku komaniza.
—— *To enclose,* Ku zungumiza.
—— *To go round, to encompass,* Ku zungulira.
Suspect, *v. t.* Ku yerekeza.
—— *v. i. To be suspected, to be under* suspicion, Ku yerekezedwa.
Suspend, *v. t. To hang up,* Ku patshika.
—— *To suspend by a string, as a fowl,* Ku lenjeka.
—— *To lift between two,* Ku tembeta.
—— *To interrupt,* Ku letsa.
—— *v. i. To cease action for a while,* Ku letsa.
Suspense, *n. Doubting of mind, causing suspense in action,* Kusadziwitsa.
Suspension, *n.* Kupatshika; kuletsa.
Suspicion, *n. Suspicion of guilt without proof,* Kuyerekeza.
Sustenance, *n. Food,* Kudia *and* kudya.
Swallow, *v. t.* Ku meza.
—— *To swallow food without masticating,* Ku gwinta.
—— *n. The gullet,* Mero, mimero.
Swallow, *n. A bird,* Nanzezi, ananzezi.
Swan, *n.* Swane, aswane.
Swarm, *v. i. As bees, maggots, or ants,* Ku tshuruka.
—— *To come together in one place,* Ku song'kana.
Swarm, *n. As of bees, or flies,* Ntenje, zintenje.
—— *Of people,* Gulu, (la) magulu antu ambiri.
Swart, Swarthy, *a.* -*A*kuda.
Swath, *v. t. To swathe,* Ku manga; ku limbika.
Sway, *v. i. To move about in waves, as corn moved by the wind,* Ku gwedera.
Swayed, To be. Ku gwedezedwa.
Sweal, *v. i. As a candle,* Ku nyeka.
—— *v. t. As a hog,* Ku waula.
Swear, *v. i.* Ku lumbira.
—— *To swear obscenely,* Ku tukwana.
—— *v. t.* Ku lumbiritsa.
Swearer, *n.* Wolumbira, olumbira; (*false swearer*) wosinjirira, osinjirira.
Swearing, *n.* Kulumbira.
Sweat, *v. i. To perspire,* Ku tukuta.
—— *n. Perspiration,* Tukuta, (la) matukuta.
Sweep, *v. t. As a floor,* Ku sesa.
—— *To sweep away by a stream of water,* Ku kokolola.
Sweet, *a.* -*O*koma; -otsekemera *and* -otsetshemera. *A sweet thing,* Tshintu tshotsekemera. *Sweet food,* Kudia kwakutsetshemera.
Sweetheart, *n.* Tshibwenzi, dzibwenzi.
Sweetly, *adv.* Kotsekemera.
Sweet milk, *n.* Nkaka, mikaka.
Sweetness, *n.* Kutsekemera.
Sweet-reed, *n.* Nsinde, misinde.
Swell, *v. i. As any part of the body,* Ku tupa. *His foot is swollen,* Pazi latshi litupidwa.
—— *To dilate, to expand the exterior, as by any substance forced into a bag or bladder,* Ku tupira.
—— *To swell as a river or the sea,* Ku uka; ku tupira.
—— *v. t. To swell with passion, or to be inflated by pride,* Ku tupitsa; ku balawaza.

Swelling, *a.* *As boasting words or actions,* -*O*balawaza.
—— *n.* *Of any part of the body,* Kudzikulitsa, madzikulitso.
—— *A boil or abscess,* Fundo, (la) mafundo.
Swerve, *v. i.* *Miss the mark, turn aside,* Ku lemletuka.
Swift, *a.* -*A*liwiro.
—— *One who excels others in speed,* Waliwiro, aliwiro.
—— *Swift in speed but not lasting,* -*A*puma.
Swiftly, *adv.* Msanga; nsanga; kwansangu; kwaliwiro.
Swiftness, *n.* Liwiro, (la) maliwiro.
Swim, *v. i.* Ku beruka.
—— *v. t.* Ku sambira. *The duck swims,* Baka lisambira.
Swimmer, *n.* Wosambira.
Swimming, *n.* Kusambira; kuberuka.
Swindle, *v. t.* Ku nyenga. *He has swindled me,* Wandinyenga.
Swindler, *n.* Wonyenga, onyenga.
Swine, *n.* Nkumba *and* nkhumba, zinkhumba.
Swing, *v. i.* *To dangle in the air,* Ku lendeka.
—— *v. t.* Ku zunguza.
—— *To revolve,* Ku gwedera.
Swinish, *a.* -*A*unkhumba.
Swinishness, *n.* Unkhumba.
Switch, *n.* Nzengo, zinzengo.
—— *v. t.* Ku tifuka.
Swollen, *p.p.* -*O*tupidwa.
Swoon, *v. i.* Ku komoka; ku gomoka.
—— *n.* Tshikomo, dzikomo.
Sword, *n.* Mpeni wankondo, mipeni yankondo.
—— *A large, heavy knife,* Tshisenga, dzisenga.
Syllable, *n.* Patikizo, (la) mapatikizo.
Symbol, *n.* Tshizindikilo, zizindikilo; fanizo, (la) mafanizo.
Symbolize, *v. t.* Ku sindikiza.
Sympathize, *v. t.* Ku mva tshisoni ndi. *I sympathize with you in your trouble,* Dimva tshisoni ndi iwe m' sautso yako.
Sympathy, *n.* Tshisoni, dzisoni.
Synagogue, *n.* Sinagoge, (la) masinagoge.

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Tabernacle, *n.* Msasa *and* nsasa, misasa.
—— *v. i.* Ku kala m' msasa.
Table, *n.* Gome, (la) magome.
Table-cloth, *n.* Nsaru ya gome, nsaru za gome.
Tablet, *n.* *Of stone or marble,* Kagome, timagome.
Tack, *v. t.* *To tack work together loosely,* Ku gwirizira.
—— *Of sailing,* Ku tshinga mpepo.
—— *n.* Kansomali; timisomali.
Tact, *n.* *Guile, craftiness,* kusenyenga.
Tail, *n.* *Of an animal,* Ntshira, mitshira.
—— *The bushy part of an animal's tail,* Tsanto, (la) matsanto.
—— *The tail of a bird,* Tshitsukwa, dzitsukwa.
Tailor, *n.* Wosoka, osoka.
Taint, *v. t.* Ku vumuka.
—— *n.* Vumuko, (la) mavumuko.
Take, *v. t.* *To get hold of, to seize,* Ku tenga; ku gwira.
—— *To take care of,* Ku yang'anira.
—— *Take care, to heed,* Kusamala.
—— *To receive from another,* Ku landira.
—— *To take upon one,* Ku tsanza.
—— *To take leave,* Ku tsazika.
—— *To take or remove a thing from one place to another,* Ku sunta.
—— *To take counsel,* Ku funsana.

Take, *v. t. To take notice of an occurrence or of an object,* Ku yang'ana ; ku yang'anira.
—— *To take advantage of,* Ku tshenjerera ; ku senyenga.
—— *To take warning,* Ku tshenjezedwa.
—— *To take root,* Ku zika. *The tree has taken root,* Ntengo wazika.
—— *To take deep root,* Ku sinda.
—— *To take up a tree by the roots,* Ku zula.
—— *To take up,* Ku kweretsa.
—— *To take courage,* Ku limbikitsa ntima.
—— *To take away by force,* Ku landa.
—— *To take down from above, as from a shelf,* Ku sakamula.
—— *To take or receive what is offered,* Ku landira.
—— *To take honey from a tree, rock, or hive,* Ku fula utshi.
—— *To take corn from the native corn store,* (Nkokwe) ku ambala.
—— *To take place, happen, occur,* Ku li ; ku kala.
—— *To take or knock about to pieces,* Ku waza.
—— *To take up a child in one's arms (as a woman),* Ku angata.
—— *To take out of, as a mote from the eye, a maize cob from its cover,* Ku kolola.
—— *n.* (*Of fish*) Kugwidwa (kwa nsomba) ; zambiri.
Taken, *p.p.* -*O*gwidwa.
—— *To be taken aback,* Ku nyuka.
Taking, *n.* Kugwira ; kutenga.
Tale, *n. A fictitious tale for children, a nursery tale,* Ntanu, zintanu.
—— *Idle tales,* Miambi ya tshabe.
Tale-bearer, *n.* Womvetsera, omvetsera.
Talk, *v. i.* Ku lankula.
—— *To trap in talk,* Ku kola m' mau.
Talk, *v. i. To talk incoherently, to prattle,* Ku bwebweta.
—— *n.* Kulankula.
Tall, *a.* -*A*utali.
Tallness, *n.* Utali.
Tallow, *n.* Mafuta olimba.
Tally, *v. i. To correspond with,* Ku lingana.
Talon, *n.* Tshikabado, dzikabado.
Tame, *v. t.* Ku zolowera.
—— *a.* -*O*zolowera; -ozoloweredwa.
Tan, *v. t. To dress a hide,* Ku fufuta.
—— *a.* -*O*fira.
Tanner, *n.* Wofufuta dzikopa, ofufuta dzikopa.
Tape-worm, *n.* Nyole, zinyole.
Tardily, *adv. Lazily,* Kotshedwa.
Tardy, *a. To be tardy,* -*O*tshedwa.
Tares, *n.* Nasongole, anasongole.
Tarnish, *v. t.* Ku sanduliza ; ku tembenuza ; ku detsa.
Tarry, *v. i. To remain at a place, to abide,* Ku kala.
—— *To wait,* Ku linda.
—— *To wait for,* Ku lindira.
Tart, *a.* -*O*yaiamira.
Task, *n.* Kama, (la) makama ; ntshito, zintshito.
Tassel, *n.* Mphonje, zimphonje.
Taste, *v. t.* Ku lawa.
—— *To taste food or milk before offering it to another, to show that it is not poisoned,* Ku lawa.
—— *v. i.* Ku li ndi unyongo.
—— *n.* Unyongo ; kulawa.
Tatters, *n.* Zonyansa.
Tattler, *n.* Wolongolola, olongolola.
Tattoo, *v. t.* Ku yala.
—— **marks;** *n.* Mpini, zimpini.
Taunt, *v. t.* Ku puta ; ku kumba.
—— *n. Taunting,* Bvuto, (la) mabvuto.
Tawny, *a.* -*O*fira.
Taxes, *n.* Tsong'ko, (la) matsong'ko.
Tea, *n.* Ti, (la) mati.
Teach, *v. t.* Ku punzitsa.

Teacher, *n.* Mpunzitsi, apunzitsi.
Teaching, *n.* Kupunzitsa.
Tear, *n.* *Rent,* Tshibo.
—— *A garment torn into pieces or tatters,* Amansanza.
—— *v. t.* *As a garment,* Ku ng'amba.
—— *v. i.* Ku ng'ambika.
—— *To tear in pieces,* Ku kadzula.
—— *To tear with violence, as a dog with his teeth,* Ku ng'amba.
—— *Tear in pieces, as a wild beast his prey,* Ku sumbudzula.
Tear, *n.* Nsozi, misozi.
Tearful, *a.* -*A*misozi.
Tearfully, *adv.* Kwamisozi.
Tease, *v. t.* Ku bvuta.
—— *n.* Wobvuta, obvuta.
Teat, *n.* Bere, (la) maere.
Tedious, *a.* *Slow in action,* -*O*tshedwa.
—— *In words,* -*O*dodoma.
Teeth, *n.* (*Tooth,* Dzino) (la) mano.
Tell, *v. t.* *To utter, to communicate in words,* Ku uza; ku lankula.
—— *To count,* Ku werenga.
—— *To tell or inform officially,* Ku taulira; ku uza; ku nena.
Temper, *v. t.* *As steel, as a knife,* Ku wiritsa.
—— *n.* *Disposition or constitution of mind,* Makalidwe.
Temperance, *n.* *Self-control, self-rule,* Kudziweruza.
Temperate, *a.* -*O*dziweruza.
—— *Not drunk,* -*O*saledzera.
Tempest, *n.* Mondwe, miondwe.
Tempestuous, *a.* -*A*mondwe.
Temple, *n.* *A building for divine worship,* Tempile, (la) matempile.
—— *A part of the head,* Pa tshikope.
Temporal, *a.* -*A*ntawi.
Tempt, *v. t.* *To prompt to evil,* Ku nyenga; *to try,* ku yesa.
Temptation, *n.* Tshinyengo, dzinyengo.
—— *Trial,* Eso, (la) maeso.
Tempter, *n.* Watshinyengo, atshinyengo; wonyenga, onyenga.
Ten, *a.* Kumi.
Tend, *v. t.* *To herd,* Ku busa; ku eta.
—— *To watch, to guard,* Ku dikira; ku sunga.
—— *To tend, or move towards,* Ku enda kwa.
—— *v. i.* *To incline towards,* Ku pita ku.
—— *To contribute towards, to promote,* Ku pitirira; ku endetsa.
Tender, *a.* *Of a branch or shoot,* -*O*tepa.
—— *Of meat,* -*O*loa.
—— -*O*gwa ntima. *A tender-hearted person,* Muntu wogwa ntima.
—— *Kind,* -*O*koma.
—— *Not strong, easily pained,* -*O*dzitema.
Tenderly, *adv.* *Gently,* Kwabwino.
Tenderness, *n.* *Kindness,* Kukoma; kukoma ntima.
—— *Softness of feeling,* Kugwa ntima.
Tendon, *n.* Mtsempa, mitsempa.
—— *The strong tendon which runs along the upper part of the neck of an animal, Ligamentum nuchae,* Uzingu, (wa) mauzingu.
Tense, *a.* -*O*limba.
—— *Of a drum, membrane,* -*O*uma.
—— *n.* *Time, in grammar,* Ntawi, zintawi.
Tent, *n.* Tente, (la) matente; nyumba ya nsaru.
Tenth, *a.* Kumi; kwakumi.
—— *n.* *Tithe,* Mpambu, zimpambu; pande lakumi, mapande amakumi.
Tentmaker, *n.* Wopanga misasa; wopanga matente.
Tentpeg, *n.* Tshiri, zintshiri.
Tepid, *a.* *As tepid water,* -*O*funda.
Tepidity, *n.* Kufunda.
Term, *n.* Ntawi, zintawi.

Terminate, *v. t.* *To end a matter,* Ku mariza.
—— *v. i.* *To come to an end,* Ku mara ; ku ta ; ku leka. *The path terminates here,* Njira ileka kuno.
Termination, *n.* *Limit, as of a boundary,* Malire.
—— *Of a period of time,* Kumara.
Terrestrial, *a.* -*A*dziko.
Terrible, *a.* *Adapted to inspire terror,* -*O*opsa. *A terrible event,* Tshintu tshoopsa.
Terribly, *adv.* Koopsa.
Terrified, *a.* -*O*opsedwa.
—— *To look terrified,* Ku yang'ana koopsedwa.
Terrify, *v. t.* Ku opsa.
Territory, *n.* *A country,* Dziko, (la) maiko.
Terror, *n.* Kuopsa ; tshoopsa, dzoopsa.
Test, *v. t.* *To try,* Ku yesa ; ku esa.
—— *To examine, to prove,* Ku funsira.
Testament, *n.* *A covenant,* Kupangana.
—— *Will,* Kufuna.
—— *The New Testament of the canonical Scriptures,* Testamente Watsopano.
Testicle, *n.* Todzo, (la) matodzo.
Testify, *v. t.* *To publish, to declare,* Ku uza ; ku bukitsa.
—— *To declare solemnly,* Ku mariza.
—— *To state on oath,* Ku uza ndi lumbiro.
Testimony, *n.* *Solemn affirmation,* Kumariza.
Thank, *v. t.* Ku nena tshakoma.
—— *To be grateful,* Ku amika.
Thankful, *a.* -*O*amika.
Thankfully, *adv.* Koamika.
Thankfulness, *n.* Uyamiko.
Thanks, *n.* Tshakoma.
Thanksgiving, *n.* Kuamika, maamiko.
That, *adj. pron.* Uyu ; uyo.
—— *Rel. pron.* -*O*mwe.
—— *Conj.* Kuti.
Thatch, *n.* Udzu, maudzu.
—— *v. t.* Ku folera (nyumba).
The, *def. art.* *There is no separate form for this word in Chinyanja, but emphasis may be expressed by* -Mene. *The prefixes of the noun and the demonstrative pronouns supply the place of the article.*
Theatre, *n.* *Place for assembling together,* Mbwalo, mabwalo.
—— *Place for justice,* Mphala, zimphala.
Thee, *pron.* Iwe. *When the accusative* thee *is used in connection with the verb,* Ku *is inserted between the Tense form and the root of the verb. I will bless thee,* Didzakudalitsa. *I will save thee,* Didzakupulumutsa. *He will help thee,* Adzakutangata. *The form* iwe *is also used at times.*
Theft, *n.* Umbala, (wa) maumbala.
—— *From strangers,* Tshipongwe, dzipongwe.
Their, *pron.* -*A*o, *etc.* *Their cattle,* Ng'ombe zao.
Them, *pron.* -O, *etc.* *For the objective case of the pronoun* they, *see Table of Concords.*
Themselves, *n.* -*O*ka. *It is they themselves,* Ali awo oka.
—— *Of themselves, meaning 'Of their own free will,'* Ndi ntima. *They did it of themselves,* Anatshita ndi mitima yao.
Then, *adv.* *At that time,* Pa ntawi imene ; pomwe ; pomene. *He arrived then,* Anafika pa ntawi imene.
There, *adv.* Apa ; apo ; uko ; padya, *according to their respective distances.* *It is there,* Tshiri apa. *You will find it there,* Udzatshipeza apo.
Thereabouts, *adv.* Pafupi apo ; pompa.
Therefore, *adv.* Ndimo.

Therein, *adv.* Menemo; umo.
Thereon, *adv.* Po; apo; pomenepo.
These, *pron.* -Mene; -tshi. *See Table of Concords. These persons,* Antu amene. *These houses,* Nyumba zimene.
They, *pron.* *When the word* they *is used as the nominative to the verb, see the forms given in Table of Concords. They (the people) are leaving,* Amuka. *They (the houses) are on fire,* Zirikuotsha.
Thick, *a.* *Stiff, as porridge,* -Olimba.
—— *Viscid,* -Olenduka.
—— *Thick in substance (of wood),* -Otshindikila.
Thicken, *v. t.* *To thicken any fluid substance,* Ku limbitsa.
Thicket, *n.* *Used as cemetery,* Nsitu, misitu.
—— *Forest,* Nkalango, zinkalango.
Thief, *n.* Mbara *and* mbala, zimbara; woba, oba; wakuba, akuba.
Thieve, *v. t.* Ku ba.
Thigh, *n.* Ntshufu, zintshafu.
Thin, *v. i.* *To be (of any article),* Ku pyapyala.
—— *To be lean,* Ku onda.
—— *a.* -Opyapyala.
Thine, *pron.* Wako, *etc.* *See the forms of the possessive pronoun in Table of Concords. The child is thine,* Mwana ali wako.
Thing, *n.* *A substance,* Tshintu, zintu.
—— *Affairor event,* Tshintu, zintu; mrandu, mirandu.
—— *The thing spoken of or referred to,* -Tshimene; -tshimenetshi.
Things, *n.* *Goods,* Zintu.
Think, *v. t.* *To consider,* Ku ganiza.
—— *To muse, to meditate,* Ku ganizaganiza.
—— *To reflect, to remember, to call to mind,* Ku kumbutsa.
Think, *v. t.* *To judge, to conclude,* Ku weruza.
—— *To think, to consider respecting,* Ku ganiza ndi.
—— *To reason out,* Ku gazitsana.
Thinker, *n.* Woganiza, oganiza.
Thinking, *n.* Kuganiza.
Third, *a.* -Atshitatu.
Thirst, *v. i.* Ku mva ludzu; ku kala ndi ludzu; ku li ndi ludzu.
—— *n.* Ludzu.
Thirsty, *a.* -Aludzu.
Thirteen, *a.* Kumi ndi -tatu.
Thirty, *a.* Makumi atatu.
This, *pron.* -Mene, uyu, *etc.*; uyo, *etc.* *The form varies with the prefix of the noun referred to. This man,* Muntu amene. *This woman,* Nkazi amene. *This basket,* Ntanga umene. *See Concords.*
Thistle, *n.* Mtungwi, mitungwi.
Thither, *adv.* Konko; ku uko; komwe; komeneko.
Thitherward, *adv.* *Ya*uko.
Thong, *n.* *A strip of leather or dressed hide,* Tshingwe, dzingwe; nsinga, zinsinga.
Thorns, *n.* Munga, minga.
Thorn-tree, *n.* *The mimosa, with long sharp thorns,* Ntete, mitete.
—— *The hooked thorn tree, with thorns like fishing-hooks,* Tshisio, dzisio.
Thorny, *a.* -Aminga.
Thoroughly, *adv.* *Completely, fully,* Kota; komariza; nditu; konsekonse. *I am thoroughly tired,* Dilema nditu.
Those, *pron.* Awa; awo; adya, *etc., according to distance. The forms vary with those of the prefix of the noun referred to. Those people,* Antu awo. *Those men,* Amuna awo. *Those houses,* Nyumba izo. *See Table of Concords.*
Thou, *pron.* Iwe. *When prefixed to the verb as the nominative, the*

vowel u *is used; as—Thou art working*, Ulikutshita. *Thou art walking*, Ulikuenda.

Though, *conj.* Ngati.

Thought, *n.* *Reflection*, Tintu, (la) matintu ; ganizo, (la) maganizo.

—— *Remembrance*, Kukumbukila.

—— *p.p. of 'Think.'* Ganiza, *the root of* Ku ganiza, *'To think,' is used with the past tense of the indicative. I thought it was right for me to do so*, Dinaganiza kuti kunali kwabwino kwa ine ku tshita tshointsho.

Thousand, *a.* Zousan, (la) mazousan.

Thrash, *v. t.* *To thrash out corn*, Ku omba dzintu.

—— *To beat with a stick*, Ku lunga.

Thrashing-floor, *n.* Mbua, zimbua.

Thread, *n.* Tonje *and* toinje, (la) matonje *and* matoinje.

Threat, *n.* Kuopsa, maopso.

Threaten, *v. t.* Ku limbika ; ku opetsa.

Three, *a.* -Tatu. *Three men*, Antu atatu. *Three head of cattle*, Ng'ombe zitatu.

Threescore, *a.* Makumi asanu ndi limodzi.

Threshold, *n.* *Of a doorway*, Tshiguo, dziguo.

Thrice, *adv.* Katatu.

Thrive, *v. i.* *As a plant or tree*, Ku kula ; ku mera.

—— *As an animal when gaining flesh*, Ku kula ; ku nenepa.

Throat, *n.* Mero, mimero.

—— *Neck*, Kosi, (la) makosi.

Throb, *v. i.* *As a tumour or swelling*, Ku dumula.

Throbbing, *n.* Kudumula.

Throne, *n.* Mpando wotshuka.

Throng, *n.* *Of people*, Antu ambiri.

—— *v. t.* Ku song'kanitsa.

Throttle, *v. t.* *To choke*, Ku kwipa.

Through, *prep.* *By means of*, Ni ; ndi ; mwa ; *and often by verbal form in* -ira *or* -era.

—— *To pass through, noting passage*, Ku pita pakati ; pandule. *He would not suffer that any man should carry a vessel through the temple*, Sanaleka kuti muntu modzi akananyamula tshiwira pandule pa tempile.

—— *To thrust through, as with a knife*, Ku pisa mpeni.

—— *To go through a country or territory*, Ku enda pakati pa dziko. *He travelled through th whole land*, Anaenda pakati pa dziko lonse.

Throw, *v. t.* *To hurl*, Ku ponya.

—— *To thrown upon, to cast, as dust*, Ku tsira.

—— *To throw at, as a stick at a bird, to aim*, Ku tanda.

—— *To throw an assagai or spear*, Ku ponya.

—— *As a stone*, Ku ponya.

—— *To throw away*, Ku taya *and* ku taia.

—— *To throw out*, Ku turutsa.

—— *To throw in wrestling, to throw down*, Ku gwetsa.

Thrust, *v. t.* *To thrust away from the person*, Ku kana ; ku turutsa.

—— *To drive away*, Ku tshotsa.

—— *To push away*, Ku kang'ka.

—— *To thrust through, as with a dart or dagger*, Ku pyoza.

—— *To thrust into the ground, as a stake*, Ku jika.

—— *Thrust farther into the fire, as a stick*, Ku sonjeza.

—— *n.* Mpsyozo, zimpsyozo.

Thumb, *n.* Tshala tshatshikuru ; dzala dzadzikuru.

Thunder, *n.* Bingu, (la) mabingu.

—— *v. i.* Ku rindimura ; ku lindirima ; ku lira mabingu.

Thunderstorm, *n.* Mondwe wa bingu.

Thus, *adv.* Tshointshi; tshointsho; -otere.
—— *It is thus,* Tshiri tshointsho.
Thyself, *pron.* Iwe eka; iwe weka. *Do this thyself,* Tshita tshimene iwe eka.
Tick, *n.* *A tick which infests cattle,* Nkhumba, zinkhumba.
—— *Of clock,* Tik, (la) matik.
Tickle, *v. t.* Ku timbwinya.
Tidings, *n.* Makalidwe.
—— *Good tidings,* Makalidwe abwino; ivangeli, (wa) maivangeli.
Tie, *v. t.* Ku manga.
—— *To tie an animal to a tree or post,* Ku mangirira.
—— *To tie one thing to another,* Ku mangiriza.
—— *n.* Tshomanga, dzomanga.
Tight, *a.* -*A*tebwerebwe.
Tightly, *adv.* Kwatebwerebwe.
Tightness, *n.* Utebwerebwe.
Tile, *n.* Pale, (la) mapale.
Till, *prep.* Ntawi; kwa. *Till I come,* Kwa ntawi difika.
—— *v. t.* *To cultivate,* Ku lima.
Tillage, *n.* Kulima.
Tiller, *n.* Wolima, olima.
Tilt, *v. t.* *To incline, as to tilt a cask,* Ku pendetsa.
—— *v. i.* *To lean over from the perpendicular,* Ku pendeka.
Tilted, *a.* -*O*pendetsedwa.
Timber, *n.* Mitengo. *Sawn timber for building purposes,* Mtengo wotshekedwa, mitengo yotshekedwa.
Time, *n.* Ntawi, zintawi.
—— *First time,* Ntawi yoamba.
—— *From time to time,* Ntawi ndi ntawi.
Times or Seasons, *n.* Ntawi *and* zintawi; nsiku, zinsiku.
Timid, *a.* -*O*opa; -*a*kuopa.
Timidity, *n.* Kuopa.
Timidly, *adv.* Koopa.
Tinder, *n.* Tshokolezera, dzokolezera.
Tinkle, *v. i.* Ku gwinjirika.
Tinkling, *n.* Kugwinjirika.
—— *a.* -*O*gwinjirika.
Tiny, *a.* Kakang'ono. *By diminutive form of noun.*
Tip, *n.* *The end,* Songa *and* nsonga, zinsonga.
—— *A pointed end,* Nsonga, zinsonga.
—— *Of any part of the body,* Nsonga. *The tip of the ear,* Nsonga ya kutu.
Tipple, *v. i.* Ku ledzera.
Tippler, *n.* Woledzera, oledzera; mledzi, aledzi.
Tipsy, *a.* -*O*ledzera.
Tire, *v. i.* Ku lema.
—— *v. t.* *To weary, to tire a person's patience,* Ku lemetsa.
Tired, *a.* -*O*lemedwa. *I am tired,* Dilema.
—— *v. i.* *To be tired,* Ku lema; ku lemedwa.
Tiresome, *a.* -*O*lemetsa.
Tiresomeness, *n.* Kulemetsa.
Tithe, *n.* Pande lakumi; mapande akumi; mpambu, zimpambu.
—— *v. t.* *To give tithes,* Ku lipira mpambu.
Title, *n.* Lemba, malemba.
Tittle, *n.* Kakangono.
To, *prep.* *Infinitive of the verb,* Ku. *Go to work,* Enda ku tshita.
To and fro, *adv.* Kwina ndi kwina.
Toad, *n.* Tesi, (wa) matesi.
Toast, *v. t.* *As bread,* Ku otsha.
—— *n.* Mikate yootsha.
Tobacco, *n.* Fodia, afodia.
Tobacco-pipe, *n.* Tshikololo, dzikololo.
Toe, *n.* Tshala tsha pazi, dzala dza pazi.
—— *The great toe,* Tshala tshatshikuru tsha pazi.
—— *The tips of the toes,* Nsonga za dzala.
Together, *adv.* *In one place,* Pamodzi; pa malo amodzi. *Gather the things together in one place,* Song'kanitsa zintu m' malo amodzi.

Together, *adv. To run together into one place,* Ku tamangana; ku tamanga pamodzi. *The people ran together into one place,* Antu anatamangana ku malo amodzi.
—— *To act together,* Ku tshita pamodzi.
Toil, *n.* Ntshito yambiri; ntshito zambiri *and* -olemera.
—— *v. t.* Ku gwira ntshito; ku tshita kwambiri.
Token, *n.* Tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.
Toll, *n.* *Place of toll,* Malo polandira tsong'ko.
—— *Pay,* Tsong'ko.
Tomato, *n.* Tikiti, (la) matikiti (*Tshigunda*); timati, (wa) matimati.
Tomb, *n.* Mwanda, mianda.
Tongs, *n.* Mbano, zimbano.
Tongue, *n.* Lilume, (la) malilume; liraka, (la) maliraka; lulime, (la) malulime.
Too, *adv.* *Also,* -*A*nso. *The first vowel of this word is always made the same as the last vowel of the preceding word.*
Too long, *adv.* -*O*tanimpa.
Too short, *adv.* -*O*finimpa.
Tooth, *n.* Dzino, (la) mano.
—— *Eye-tooth,* Katsonje, akatsonje.
Top, *n.* *A pointed top, as a pinnacle,* Nsonga, zinsonga; tshimbudzi, dzimbudzi.
—— *The upper part,* Mutu, mitu; pamwamba.
—— *Toy spinning-top,* Nguli, zinguli.
Torment, *n.* Kuzunza; nkarwe, zinkarwe.
—— *v. t.* Ku zunza.
Tormentor, *n.* Mbano, ambano.
Tortoise, *n.* *Land tortoise,* Kamba, akamba.
—— *Water tortoise,* Nkasi, zinkasi.
Torture, *n.* Kuzunza, mazunzo.
—— *v. t.* Ku zunza; ku tshita nkarwe; ku sautsa.
Toss, *v. t.* Ku ponya.
Totter, *v. i.* *To walk slowly and feebly, as a person recovering from illness,* Ku nyang'ama.
Tottering, *n.* Kuyang'ama.
—— *a.* -*O*nyang'ama.
Touch, *v. t.* *To touch slightly,* Ku tosa.
—— *To touch by feeling with the hand, to handle,* Ku kudza.
—— *To touch a person slightly, so as to call his attention secretly to anything,* Ku kodola.
—— *n.* Kutosa.
Touching, *prep.* *Concerning,* Ndi; ni.
Touchwood, *n.* Mpeko, zimpeko.
Tough, *a.* -*O*kangana.
Toughness, *n.* Kukangana.
Towards, *adv.* Ku; kwa.
Towel, *n.* Nsaru yopukutira.
Tower, *n.* Nsanja, zinsanja.
Town, Mz'nda *and* nzinda, mizinda.
Toy, *n.* Tshosowera, dzosowera.
Trace, *v. t.* *As a dog after game,* Ku ronda.
—— *To trace cattle by the trail,* Ku tsata mapazi; ku ronda.
—— *To trace the course of a matter,* Ku londoloza; ku ronda.
—— *To ask particularly after,* Ku funsira.
—— *To trace the course of a river,* Ku kwera.
—— *n.* *Of cattle,* Tshikuo, dzikuo.
Track, *n.* Kulonda; kuronda. (*See* **Trail.**)
Trade, *n.* Kugula.
—— *Handicraft,* Luso, (la) maluso.
—— *v. t.* *To buy,* Ku gula malonda *and* maronda.
—— *To barter,* Ku gulana; ku sintana maronda; ku tsatsa.
Trader, *n.* Wogula, ogula; wamaronda, amaronda.
Tradition, *n.* Mwambi, miambi.
Traduce, *v. t.* Ku namiza.
Traducer, *n.* Wonamiza, onamiza.

Traffic, *n.* *Barter,* Maronda; kusintana.
—— *v. t.* *To barter,* Ku gula; ku gulana; ku gulitsa; ku sintana maronda.
Trail, *n.* *Of a snake or mouse-path in a field, or of cattle, or of a heavy body drawn on the ground,* Nsesera; misesera.
—— *v. t.* *To draw along the ground,* Ku koka.
Train, *v. t.* *Instruct, discipline, train up, as a child,* Ku punzitsa.
—— *n.* *Retinue,* Antu otshezetsa funu; anyamata a funu.
Traitor, *n.* Nzondi, zinzondi.
Tramp, *v. i.* Ku ponda.
Trample, *v. t.* Ku pondereza.
Trance, *n.* *A vision,* Tshoona, zoona.
—— *A dream,* Kulota; loto, (la) maloto.
Tranquil, *a.* *Calm,* -*A*ntendere.
—— *n.* *Tranquil enjoyment,* Tshimwemwe.
Tranquillity, *n.* *Rest,* Kupuma.
—— *Calm, of sea,* Bata, (la) mabata.
—— *Calm, of man,* Kudika.
Transfer, *v. t.* Ku sunta.
Transfiguration, *n.* Kusandulika.
Transfigure, } *v. t.* Ku sandulizа; ku sandutsa.
Transform, }
Transfigured, } *a.* -*O*sandulizidwa.
Transformed, }
Transgress, *v. t.* *To break a law,* Ku swa (mau).
—— *To overreach,* Ku tshenjerera.
Transgression, *n.* Kuswa mau; tshimo, (la) matshimo.
Transgressor, *n.* Wotshimwa, otshimwa; wampulupulu, ampulupulu.
Translate, *v. t.* *To interpret,* Ku sanduliza.
—— *To translate a book into another language,* Ku sanduliza.
—— *To remove,* Ku sunta.
Translation, *n.* Kusanduliza; (*removal*) ku sunta.
Transparent, *a.* -*O*onekera.
Transplant, *v. t.* Ku oka.
Transplanting, *n.* Kuoka.
Transport, *v. t.* *To remove from one place to another,* Ku suntitsa.
—— *To remove by carrying,* Ku nyamula.
Trap, *n.* *For taking game,* Nsampa, misampa.
—— *Pitfall,* Mbuna, zimbuna.
—— *v. t.* Ku kola.
—— *Trap in talk,* Ku kola m'mau.
Trash, *n.* Zirombo.
Travail, *v. i.* Ku mva ululu; ku tshita; ku pweteka.
—— *n.* Kupweteka.
Travel, *v. i.* Ku enda ulendo.
Traveller, *n.* Mlendo, alendo.
Tread, *v. t.* *As in walking,* Ku ponda.
—— *To tread out, to thresh,* Ku kulunga.
—— *To tread on so as to crush,* Ku pondereza.
—— *To tread down and destroy, as cattle in a garden,* Ku pondereza.
—— *n.* *Of feet,* Tsindo, mitsindo.
Treasure, *n.* *Riches,* Kulemera, zolemera.
Treasure up, *v. t.* Ku sunga (zolemera).
Treasured up, *a.* *Valued,* -*O*sungidwa.
Treasurer, *n.* Wosunga zolemera, osunga zolemera.
Treat, *v. t.* *To manage,* Ku tshita ndi; ku seketsa.
—— *To treat kindly,* Ku tshita bwino ndi.
—— *n.* Kuseketsa.
Treatment, *n.* *Medical treatment,* Limbitso, (la) malimbitso.
Tree, *n.* Ntengo, mitengo.
Tremble, *v. i.* *From cold,* Ku ntuntumira ndi kuzizira.
—— *From pain, to throb with pain,* Ku ntuntumira ndi ululu.

Trench, *v. t.* To dig deep, Ku kumbitsa ; ku limitsa.
—— *To cast up a trench,* Ku kumbira.
—— *n.* Mtshera, mitshera.
Trespass, *v. t.* Ku tshimwa.
—— *n.* Tshimo, (la) matshimo.
Trial, *n.* *Proof,* Kuyesera.
—— *Trouble,* Sautso, (ya) masautso.
Tribe, *n.* Fuko, (la) mafuko.
—— *Family,* Ntundu *and* mtundu, mitundu ; gulu, (la) magulu.
—— *Tribes,* Ntundu, mitundu.
Tribulation, *n.* Sautso (ya) masautso.
Tribute, *n.* Tsong'ko, (la) matsong'ko.
—— *v. i.* *To pay tribute,* Ku lamba.
Trick, *n.* *In sport,* Tshosewera, zosewera.
—— *In trade,* Tshenjerero, (la) matshenjerero.
Trifle, *v. i.* Ku tshedwadala.
—— *n.* *Little thing,* Kantu kakang'ono ; (*nothing*) tshabe.
Trifling, *a.* -*O*tshedwadala.
Trip, *v. i.* Ku gunda.
—— *To trip up,* Ku pinga.
Troop, *n.* *Of animals or people,* Gulu, (la) magulu.
—— **together,** *v. i.* Ku endera pamodzi.
Trouble, *n.* *Trial,* Nkhani ; sautso, (ya) masautso.
—— *Annoyance,* Kubvuta.
—— *Oppression,* Kuzingalitsa *and* kuzingalitsidwa.
—— *Sickness,* Ntenda, zintenda.
—— *v. t.* *To annoy,* Ku bvuta.
—— *To oppress,* Ku sautsa.
Troubled, *v. i.* *To be troubled,* Ku ntentemera.
—— *Mentally,* Ku tetimera.
—— *By outward circumstances,* Ku bvutidwa ; ku sautswa.
Trough, *n.* *A hollow vessel of wood,* Mwero, mimwero.
Trousers, *n.* Maraia a miendo ; matumba amiendo.
Truant, *v. i.* *To play truant,* Ku tsotsa.
True, *a.* -*O*ona ; -*o*onade ; -*a*nteradi
Trueness, *n.* Kuona ; nteradi.
Truly, *adv.* Nditu ; ndi nterad ; koona.
Trumpet, *n.* Lipenga, (la) malipenga.
Trumpeter, *n.* Walipenga, alipenga.
Trunk, *n.* *A chest,* Bokosi, (la) mabokosi.
—— *Trunk of an elephant,* Tshutso, dzatso.
Trust, *n.* *Faith, belief,* Mvanu.
—— *v. i.* *Confidence in, to believe one,* Ku mvana.
—— *To trust one's self,* Kudzimvana.
Trustworthy, *a.* -*A*mvanu.
Truth, *n.* Nteradi.
—— *Fact,* Tshoona, dzoona.
—— *Trust,* Kumvana.
Try, *v. i.* *To attempt,* Ku yesa *and* ku esa.
—— *To search carefully into, to test,* Ku funsira.
Trying proof, *n.* Kuyesera.
Tub, *n.* Tobu, (la) matobu.
Tube, *n.* *A pipe,* zomba, azomba.
Tuck in, *v. t.* Ku kwinyira.
Tuft, *n.* *A tassel-like bunch of grass,* Tshiputu tsha udzu, dziputu dza udzu.
Tug, *v. t.* Ku kwatula.
—— *n.* Kukwatula.
Tumble, *v. i.* *To fall down,* Ku gwa.
—— *To turn over,* Ku gubuduka.
—— *n.* Kugwa.
Tumbler, *n.* Tshiko tsha glase, ziko za glase.
Tumour, *n.* Fundo, (la) mafundo.
Tumult, *n.* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso.
—— *Gossip,* Makani.
—— *v. i.* *To raise a tumult,* Ku pokosera.
Tumultuous, *a.* -*A*pokoso.
Tumultuously, *adv.* Kwapokoso.
Tune, *n.* Msao, misao. *To set, or* commence a tune, Ku amba msao.
Turf, *n.* Ndeka, zindeka.
Turkey, *n.* Piru, apiru.

Turn, *v. i.* *To turn the person,* Ku tembenuka.
—— *To turn from one direction to another,* Ku tembenuka; ku lunjika.
—— *To turn or roll one's self over,* Ku gubuduka.
—— *To turn from,* Ku tembenukira. *He turned from his house,* Watembenukira kwa nyumba yatshi.
—— *To turn aside,* Ku lambalala; ku sotshera.
—— *To turn round, as round a corner,* Ku lembetuka.
—— *To turn about, to swerve,* Ku tembenuka.
—— *To turn back,* Ku bwera.
—— *To turn back to the same place,* Ku bwera pa malo amodzi.
—— *v. t.* *To turn about from one direction to another, to turn round, to turn a thing about,* Ku tembenuza.
—— *To turn from one language to another,* Ku sanduliza.
—— *To turn or stop an animal, as a runaway horse,* Ku tembenuza; ku letsa.
—— *To turn back,* Ku bweza.
—— *To turn back to the same place,* Ku bweza pa malo amodzi.
—— *To turn a thing over, as a stone,* Ku gubuduza.
—— *To turn a thing over in one's mind,* Ku ganiza ndi.
—— *To turn aside,* Ku sotshereza; ku balutsa.
—— *n.* *In order,* Kondandalika.
Turret, *n.* Tshimbudzi, dzimbudzi.
Tusks, *n.* *Of an elephant,* Nyanga wa njobvu, minyanga.
—— *Of a boar or other animal,* Dzino, mano.
Tutor, *n.* *Leader, pedagogue,* Wotsogolera mwana, otsogolera ana.
Twain, *a.* -*A*wiri.
Twelve, *a.* Kumi ndi -*a*wiri. *Twelve houses,* Nyumba kumi ndi ziwiri. *Twelve nations,* Mitundu kumi ndi iwiri.
Twenty, *a.* Makumi awiri.
Twice, *a.* Kawiri.
Twig, *n.* Tsatsa, (la) matsatsa.
Twilight, *n.* *Evening twilight,* Kwada.
Twin brothers, *n.* Ana amamuna a mpasa.
Twin child, *n.* Mwana wa mpasa.
Twine, *n.* Tshingwe, dzingwe.
—— *v. t.* Ku pota.
Twinkle, *v. i.* *As the eye, as the stars,* Ku twanima. *The stars twinkle,* Nyenyezi zitwanima.
Twinkling, *n.* *Of an eye,* Kutwanima kwa diso.
Twins, *n.* Ana a mpasa.
Twirl, *v. t.* Ku zunguza.
Twist, *v. t.* *As thread,* Ku pota; ku pikinyula.
—— *v. i.* Ku pikinyuka.
—— *To twist the body, as a native girl in dancing,* Ku dzipokonyola.
Two, *a.* -Wiri. *Two persons,* Antu awiri.
Two-edged, *a.* -*A*kutwa konsekonse.
Tyrant, *n.* *As a chief,* Fumu yankarwe, mafumu ankarwe.
—— *As a man,* Muntu wankarwe.

U

U has in Chinyanja the long sound of *oo* in food, the short sound of *oo* in foot; the former in accented, the latter in unaccented syllables.
Udder, *n.* *Of an animal,* Bere, (la) maere.
Uglily, *adv.* Koipa, nkope.
Ugliness, *n.* Kuipa nkope (*of face*).
Ugly, *a.* -*O*ipa; -oipa nkope.
Ulcer, *n.* Tshironda, dzironda.
Umbilical cord, *n.* Tshingwe; kakolekole.
Umbilicus, *n.* Ntshombo, mitshombo.

Umbrella, *n.* Denga, (la) madenga; ntenje, mitenje.
Umpire, *n.* Womariza, omariza.
Unable, *a.* -*O*panda mpamvu. *I am unable to do that,* Diri wopanda mpamvu ku tshita tshimene.
The negative form is also used: Sindiri ndi mpamvu ku tshita tshimene.
The negative of Ku dziwa, *to know, is similarly used:* Sindidziwa ku tshita tshimene.
Unanimity, *n.* Kuanjana.
Unanimous, *a.* -*O*anjana.
Unanimously, *adv.* Koanjana.
Unapproachable, *a.* -*O*safikidwa.
Unawares, *adv.* *Uninformed,* -*O*sabuka; -osabukitsidwa.
—— *Unknown,* -*O*sadziwika.
Unbar, *v. t.* *As by removing the bars of a gate,* Ku gulula.
Unbelief, *n.* Kusamvana.
Unbelieving, *a.* -*A*kusamvana; -osamvana.
Unbind, *v. t.* Ku masula.
Unceasingly, *adv.* Kosareka.
Uncertain, *a.* -*O*sadziwika.
Uncertainty, *n.* Kusadziwa.
Unchangeable, *a.* -*O*sasintika.
Uncivil, *a.* -*A*ukari.
Uncoil, *v. i.* *As a snake,* Ku tombosoka.
—— *v. t.* *As a rope,* Ku tombosola.
Uncomely, *a.* -*O*sakongola; -osakonzetsa.
Uncomfortable, *v. i.* *As by rain coming through a house,* Ku nyong'onyeka.
—— *a.* -*O*nyong'onyeka.
Uncle, *n.* Atate.
—— *Maternal uncle,* Amai mamuna.
Unclean, *a.* *Foul, dirty,* -*A*litsiro; -oipa.
—— *Not eaten for food, as the horse, or any animal or person separated from others as unclean,* -*A*nko.
Uncleanness, *n.* Nko (watshi); kusatsuka.
Uncover, *v. t.* *To reveal, as a plot, to unravel,* Ku vumbula.
—— *To remove a covering, so as to expose to view,* Ku bvundukula.
Uncovered, *v. i.* *To sit with person uncovered of man or woman,* Ku kala bviwi; ku kala udiyu.
Under, *adv. and prep.* Pansi; pansipo; tsindi. *Under the tree,* Tsindi wa ntengo.
—— *Under colour or pretence of* Kofana.
Underdrop, *v. t.* Ku tshirikiza.
Undergird, *v. t.* Ku manga pansi.
—— *As a ship,* Ku kola.
Understand, *v. i.* Ku dziwa.
—— *To make plain, to cause to be understood,* Ku dziwitsa.
Understandable, *a.* -*O*dziwa; -odziwika.
Understanding, *n.* Kudziwa; kudziwitsa.
Understood, *p.p.* *To be understood, comprehended,* -*O*dziwidwa.
Undo, *v. t.* Ku masula.
Undress, *v. i.* Ku bvula.
Uneasily, *adv.* Kosokasoka.
Uneasiness, *n.* *Disquietude,* Kusokasoka.
—— *Anxiety, alarm,* Kuopa; kusokasoka.
Uneasy, *a.* *Restless, anxious,* -*O*sokasoka.
—— *Troubled,* -*O*sautswa.
Uneatable, *n.* -*O*sadibwa. *This fruit is uneatable,* Tshobala tshimene tshiri tshosadibwa.
Unequal, *a.* -*O*lekana; -osalingana; -osiana.
Unequally, *adv.* Kosiana.
Unfaithful, *a.* -*O*samvana.
Unfasten, *v. t.* Ku masula.
Unfeigned, *a.* -*O*sanyenga.
Unfit, *v. t.* Ku pulukitsa.
—— *a.* -*O*sadziwa; -oipa.
Unfold, *v. t.* *As a bird its wings previous to flight,* Ku amba ku uluka.
—— *As a cloth or garment by spreading it out, or a camp bed,* Ku yala.

Unfold, *v. t. To unfold a narrative of events, to fully narrate to others,* Ku uza.
Unfortunate, *v. i. To be unfortunate,* Ku li ndi tsoka.
—— *a.* -*A*tsoka. *An unfortunate person,* Muntu watsoka.
Unfortunately, *adv.* Kwatsoka.
Unfruitful, *a. As a tree,* -*O*sabala. *The tree is unfruitful,* Ntengo wosabala.
——*Not producing offspring,* -*O*sabala.
Unfruitfulness, *n. Of land or a tree,* Kusabala.
—— *Of a female,* Kusabala.
Unfurl, *v. t. As sails,* Ku kweza *and* ku kueza.
Ungodliness, *n.* Kusadziwa Mulungu.
Ungodly, *a.* -*O*panda Mulungu. *An ungodly person,* Muntu wopanda Mulungu.
Unhandsome, *a.* -*O*sakongola.
Unhappily, *adv.* Kosasekera.
Unhappy, *a.* -*O*sasekera. *An unhappy person,* Muntu wosasekera.
Unhealthily, *adv.* Kodwala.
Unhealthy, *a.* -*O*dwala.
Unheeding, *a. Self-willed,* -*O*dzisamalira.
Unimportant, *a.* -*A*tshabe. *An unimportant affair,* Tshintu tshatshabe.
Union, *n. Of two inanimate bodies,* Kukomana.
—— *Of opinions,* Kukomana ; kulingana.
Unite, *v. t. By joining two or more things together,* Ku mangiriza.
—— *To unite in one,* Ku lumikiza ; ku lunza.
—— *To unite by meeting, as a belt,* Ku komaniza.
—— *v. i. To spontaneously come together and unite, as by chemical affinity, or as matter by the law of gravitation,* Ku pambana.
United, *a.* -*O*mangidwa.
Unity, *n.* Umodzi.
Unjoint, *v. t.* Ku gulula.
Unjust, *a. Unrighteous,* -*O*sadeka.
Unknown, *a.* -*O*sadziwika ; -osadziwatshika ; -osadziwidwa.
Unlade, } *v. t.* Ku turutsa ; ku
Unload, } sitsa katundu ; ku tula.
Unlearned, *a.* -*O*sapunzitsa ; -osapunzitsidwa.
Unleavened bread, *n.* Nkate wopanga tshabe.
Unlock, *v. t.* Ku fungula.
Unluckily, *adv.* Kwatsoka.
Unlucky, *a.* -*A*tsoka. *I am unlucky,* Diri watsoka.
Unmarried, *a. Whether as bachelor, spinster, or widow,* Wambeta, ambeta.
Unmerciful, *a.* -*O*panda nsisi.
Unmoveable, *a.* -*O*sasunta ; -opanda ku suntwa.
Unprofitable, *a.* -*O*sapindula ; -osapinduka.
Unquenchable, *a.* -*O*sazima.
Unravel, *v. t.* Ku vumbula.
Unreasonable, *a.* -*O*panda dingalira ; -opusitsa.
Unreproveable, *a.* -*O*sasulumuli dwa.
Unrighteous, *a.* -*O*sadeka.
Unruly, *a.* -*O*saweruzika.
Unsearchable, *a.* -*O*sasaka ; -osafukanika.
Unseemly, *adv.* Kosaenera.
Unsettle, *v. t.* Ku sokaniza.
Unsettled, *a. Changing from chief to chief,* -*O*fakafaka.
Unspeakable, *a.* -*O*saneneka.
Unspotted, *a.* -*O*satshitidwa manga ; -osadontotshezedwa.
Unstable, *a.* -*O*sakazizika.
Unsteadfast, *a.* -*O*salimba.
Unthankful, *a.* -*O*samika.
Untie, *v. t.* Ku masula.
—— *v. i. To become loose,* Ku masuka.
Until, *adv.* Kwa ; kwa ntawi. *Until he come,* Kwa ntawi afika. *Until they depart,* Kwa ntawi atshoka. *Until it came to pass,* Kwa ntawi tshikala.

Until, *adv.* *To that degree; or until at length; or so that,* Kwa; monga kuti.
Untrue, *a.* -*A*kunama; -onama; -osaona.
Untruly, *adv.* Konama.
Untruth, *n.* Bodza, (la) mabodza.
Untwist, *v. t.* Ku tombosola.
—— *v. i.* Ku tombosoka.
Unwise, *a.* -*O*panda nzeru.
Unworthily, *adv.* Kosaenera.
Unworthy, *a.* -*O*saenera.
Up, *adv.* *Aloft on high,* Pamwamba. *Up above the house,* Pamwamba pa nyumba.
—— *To rise up,* Ku uka.
—— *To get up from bed or sleep,* Ku galamuka.
—— *To pull up, as weeds,* Ku zula; ku palira.
—— *To put up, as on a shelf,* Ku patshika.
—— *To climb up, as on a horse, or to go up, to climb, as a mountain,* Ku kwera.
—— *To grow up, to increase in stature,* Ku kula; ku talika.
—— *To cut up, as meat,* Ku dula.
Upbraid, *v. t.* Ku tonza; ku dzudzula.
Uphold, *v. t.* *To support, to sustain,* Ku lera; ku kulitsa.
—— *As the authority of a chief,* Ku tangata.
—— *To support in the water, as a person likely to be drowned,* Ku sambiza.
—— *To keep from falling, as a wall, to prop,* Ku tshirikiza.
Uplift, *v. t.* *To raise on high,* Ku tukula.
Upon, *prep.* Pa. *Upon the mountain,* Pa piri.
Upper, *a.* -*A*pamwamba.
—— *Upper country, inland,* Dziko lamapiri *or* lantunda.
Uprightly, *adv.* Kodeka.
Uprise, *v. i.* Ku uka.
Uproar, *n.* Pokoso, (la) mapokoso. *He caused an uproar among the people,* Anapanga pokoso mwa antu.
Uproot, *v. t.* Ku zula.
Upset, *v. t.* *As a vessel,* Ku gudula; ku tembenuza.
—— *v. i.* Ku guduka.
Upside down, *a.* -*O*tembenuza.
Upward, *a.* -*A*kumwamba.
Urge, *v. t.* *To urge on,* Ku fulumiza.
Us, *pron.* Ife. *The accusative to the verb* ti. *See Concords. They love us,* Atikonda.
Usage, *n.* *Treatment,* Ntshito; kutshita.
—— *Custom,* Makalidwe. *That is our usage,* Amenę ali makalidwe atu.
Use, *v.* Ku tshita ndi.
—— *n.* Kutshita.
Useful, *a.* -*O*tshenjera; -*a*bwino; -otshita.
Usefully, *adv.* Bwino.
Usefulness, *n.* Ubwino.
Useless, *a.* Autsiru.
Usury, *n.* *Interest,* Kupindula.
Uterus, *n.* Tshibaliro.
Utter, *v. t.* *To speak,* Ku lankula.
—— *To pronounce,* Ku tshula.
—— *To speak out plainly,* Ku nena.
Utterance, *n.* Kulankula; kunena.
—— *Word,* Mau.
Utterly, *adv.* *All or altogether,* konse.
Uttermost, *adv.* *Completely,* Kota.

V

V has in Chinyanja the sound of *v* in veil, very.
Vaccinate, *v. t.* Ku temera.
Vaccination, *n.* Kutemera.
Vagabond, *n.* Woendaenda, oendaenda.

Vagina, *n.* *Feminae,* Nyini; mpanda.
Vagrancy, *v. i.* Kuendaenda; kutawatawa.
Vagrant, *n.* Ntawatawa.
Vain, *a.* *A vain person,* Wautsiru, autsiru.
—— *adv.* *In vain,* Kwa tshabe. *You talk in vain,* Ulankula kwa tshabe.
—— *In vain, without cause,* Kopanda tshifukwa.
——*a.* *Unreal, worthless,* -*A*tshabe.
Vain-glorious, *a.* -*O*dzitama.
Vain-glory, *n.* Kubalawaza.
Vainly, *adv.* Kwatshabe.
Valiant, *a.* -*O*limba ndi nkondo. *A valiant man,* Muntu wolimba ndi nkondo.
Valiantly, *adv.* Kolimba.
Valid, *a.* -*O*limba; -*o*ona.
Valley, *n.* Pakugwa; mpata, mipata.
——*A small valley running parallel with a river,* Kwawa, (la) makwawa.
Valour, *n.* Kulimbika ntima.
Valuable, *a.* Ndi ntengo wapatali; -*o*lemera.
Value, *n.* Ntengo, mitengo. *What is the value or price of this?* Ntengo watshi uli bwanje?
—— *To set a price upon,* Ku tshula ntengo.
Valueless, *a.* *Of little worth,* -*A*tshabe. *A thing of little value,* Tshintu tsha tshabe.
Vamp, *n.* *Of a shoe or boot,* Pamwamba pa nsapato.
Vanish, *v. i.* *As vapour,* Ku kanganuka.
—— *As steamer going out of sight,* Ku zizirika.
Vanished! *interj.* Zi!
Vanity, *n.* Utsiru; kudzitamanda.
Vanquish, *v. t.* Ku gonjetsa; ku pambana.
Vapour, *n.* *Mist,* Kungu, zinkungu.
—— *Steam,* Mpwea, mipwea.
Variable, *a.* -*O*pindukapinduka.
Variableness, *n.* Kupindukapinduka.
Variably, *adv.* Kopindukapinduka.
Variation, *n.* Kupindukapinduka.
Varnish, *v. t.* Ku ng'azimitsa.
Vassal, *n.* Ngonji, agonji.
Vassalage, *n.* Kugonja.
Vast, *a.* -Mbiri; -kuru.
Vaunt, *v. i.* Ku dzitama.
—— *Vaunt one's self,* Ku dzibalawaza.
Vaunting, *n.* Kudzitama.
Vauntingly, *adv.* Kodzitama.
Vegetable, *n.* Tshibvukulu, dzibvukulu; mera, mimera.
Vegetate, *v. i.* *To germinate,* Ku mera.
—— *To grow, as a plant above the ground,* Ku kula.
Vegetation, *n.* Kumera; mera, mimera.
Vehemence, *n.* Tshangu; mpamvu.
Vehemently, *adv.* Kwatshangu; kwampamvu.
Vehicle, *n.* *A waggon,* Gareta, (la) magareta.
Veil, *v. t.* Ku pimba; ku bisira.
—— *n.* Tshopimba, dzopimba; tshobisira, dzobisira.
Vein, *n.* Ntsempa wakuda, mitsempa yakuda.
—— *The jugular vein,* Ntsempa wakuda wa kosi.
Velocity, *n.* Utshangu.
Vengeance, *n.* Kupulula *and* kupurura; kubwezera.
—— *v. i.* *To take vengeance,* Ku zimbula; ku bwezera.
Venison, *n.* Nyama ya mtengo.
Venom, *n.* Mate. *The venom of serpents,* Mate a njoka.
Vent, *n.* *Of fireplace,* Kafambira, akafambira.
Veracity, *n.* Kuona; nteradi.
Verandah, *n.* Konde, (la) makonde.
Verge, *n.* Mbali; mpepetere.
Verily, *adv.* Nditu.

Vermin, *n.* Tshirombo, zirombo; nsabwe, zinsabwe.
Verse, *n.* Verse, (wa) maverse.
Vertigo, *n.* Tshizunguliro.
Very, *adv.* *Very true, exactly so,* Koona; nditu.
—— *Very large,* -Kuru; kwambiri.
—— *Very many,* Kwambiri.
Vessel, *n.* *Cup, dish, or basket,* Tshiwira, dziwira.
—— *A ship,* Tshombo, dzombo.
Vestige, *n.* *A track or footmark,* Pazi, mapazi.
—— *Sign,* Tshizindikilo, zizindikilo.
—— *The remains of a whole,* Tshotsala, dzotsala.
Vesture, *n.* *A robe, a garment,* Mwinjiro, miinjiro; maraia.
Veteran, *n.* Wankari *and* waukari, akari.
—— *A veteran in war,* Wankali *and* waukali, akali.
Vex, *v. t.* *To annoy,* Ku bvuta.
—— *To anger,* Ku kwiitsa.
Vexation, *n.* Kubvuta; bvuto, (la) mabvuto; kukwiitsa.
Vexed, *a.* *Angered,* -Okwiitsidwa.
—— *Annoyed, troubled,* -Osautsidwa.
Vibrate, *v. i.* *To oscillate,* Ku gwedezeka.
Vibration, *n.* Ku gwedezeka.
Vicarious, *a.* *Substitutional,* Kwa; wakwa. *The son acts for his father,* Mwana atshita kwa atatu atshi.
Vice, *n.* Kuipa.
Vicious, *a.* -Oipa.
Victor, *n.* Wopambana, opambana.
Victorious, *a.* -Opambanitsa; -opambana.
Victoriously, *adv.* Kopambanitsa.
Victory, *n.* Kupambana, mapa mbano *and* akupambana.
—— *v. i.* *To gain victory,* Ku pambana.
Victual, *v. t.* Ku gawira kamba.
Victuals, *n.* Kamba, akamba.
View, *v. t.* Ku yang'anira.
—— *n.* Kuyang'anira.
Vigilance, *n.* Kutshenjera; kudikira.
Vigilant, *a.* -Otshenjera; -odikira.
Vigilantly, *adv.* Kotshenjera.
Vigorous, *a.* -Ampamvu. *A vigorous person,* Muntu wampamvu.
Vigorously, *adv.* Kwampamvu.
Vigour, *n.* Mpamvu; kulimba.
Vile, *a.* -Oipa. *A vile thing,* Tshintu tshoipa.
Vilely, *adv.* Koipa.
Vileness, *n.* Kuipa.
Vilify, *v. t.* Ku namiza; ku ipitsa.
Village, *n.* Mudzi, midzi.
Villain, *n.* Wampulupulu, ampulupulu; waurombo, aurombo.
Villainy, *n.* Mpulupulu, zimpulupulu; urombo.
Vine, *n.* Mvina, mivina.
—— *Wild vine,* Mfesa, mifesa.
Vinegar, *n.* Vinegre.
Vineyard, *n.* Mundu wa mvina.
Violate, *v. t.* Ku pandikizwa.
Violation, *n.* Kupandikizwa.
Violence, *n.* Nkarwe, zinkarwe; kuipidwa.
—— *Force,* Mpamvu.
Violent, *a.* -Ankarwe.
Violently, *adv.* Kwankarwe.
—— *As waves,* Kolimba.
Viper, *n.* Njoka, zinjoka.
—— *Death-adder,* Mpiri, zimpiri; kampiri, zimpiri.
Virgin, *n.* Tshiweta, dziweta; *also* mweta, aweta; wauweta, auweta. *There is no word for 'virgin' in the Tshinyanja language. The word* Tshiweta *here given means an unmarried girl; but such is the state of morals among the heathen, that this does not imply that she is a virgin. Still the word here given is the best that can be found at present to express it.*
Virginity, *n.* Uweta.

Virtue, *n.* *Grace,* Ubwino (wa).
—— *Manliness,* Umuntu.
Viscid, *a.* -*O*lenduka.
Visible, *a.* -*O*oneka ; -oonekedwa. *The mountain is visible,* Piri liri loonekedwa.
Visibleness, *n.* Kuonekedwa.
Visibly, *adv.* Kooneka.
Vision, *n.* *Sight,* Kuona.
—— Tshoona, dzoona.
Visit, *v. t.* Ku tsheza.
—— *n.* Kutsheza ; nkhani, zinkhani.
Visitation, *n.* *Looking after,* Kuyang'anira.
Visitor, *n.* Wotsheza, otsheza.
Vital, *a.* -*A*pamoyo.
—— *A vital spot,* Malo apamoyo.
Vitality, *n.* Moyo, mioyo.
Vitiate, *v. t.* Ku ipitsa.
Vivacious, *a.* -*O*salema.
Vivaciously, *adv.* Kosalema.
Vivacity, *n.* Kusalema.
Viva-voce, *a.* Ndi mau ; ndi kulankula.
Vociferate, *v. i.* Ku pfula.
Vociferation, *n.* Kupfula.
Voice, *n.* Liu, (la) maliu.
Void, *a.* *Empty, without occupant,* -*A*bwinja ; -opanda.
—— *v. t.* *To make void, to desolate,* Ku panga bwinja.
—— *To frustrate,* Ku panga tshabe.
Voluntarily, *a.* Ndi kufuna ; ndi ntima ; kofuna.
Volunteer, *n.* Wakubvomereza, akubvomereza ; wofuna, ofuna.
—— *v. i.* Ku bvomera.
Vomit, *v. i.* Ku sanza.
—— *v. t.* Ku sanzitsa.
—— *n.* *An emetic,* Mankwala osanzitsa.
—— *Vomitings,* Masanzi.
Vote, *n.* Funo, (la) mafuno.
Vouchsafe, *v. t.* Ku patsa.
Vow, *v. i.* Ku lumbira.
—— *n.* Kulumbira.
Voyage, *n.* Ulendo wa nyanja ; ulendo wa madzi.
Voyager, *n.* Waulendo wa nyanja *or* madzi, aulendo a.
Vulture, *n.* Mwimba, myimba, *and* miimba.

W

W has in Chinyanja the sound of *w* in wing, want.
Wade, *v. i.* *To wade through a river,* Ku yambuka ; ku oloka.
Wag, *v. t.* *To wag the tail, as a dog,* Ku gwedeza.
—— *To wag the head,* Ku pukusa.
—— *n.* Watshipwete, atshipwete.
Wager, *n.* Kantu koimikira.
Wages, *n.* Kulipira ; lipiro, (la) malipiro.
Waggon, *n.* Gareta, (la) magareta.
Waggon-road, *n.* Njira ya gareta.
Wagtail, *n.* *A bird,* Nanduindui, ananduindui.
Wail, *v. i.* Ku lira.
Wailing, *n.* Kulira.
—— *Doleful sounds,* Liro, maliro.
Waist, *n.* Tshiuno, dziuno ; *and rarely* tshuuno, dzuuno.
—— *Loins, e.g. in Scripture,* Mtshuuno.
Wait, *v. i.* Ku linda.
—— *To wait for,* Ku lindira ; ku linda.
—— *To wait upon,* Ku imirira.
—— *To lie in wait for,* Ku bisalira.
—— *v. t.* Ku linditsa.
Wake, *v. i.* Ku galamuka.
—— *v. t.* *To rouse from sleep,* Ku galamutsa.
Wale, *n.* *A mark or stripe of a stick or whip on the flesh,* Mkwikwizimbo, mikwikwizimbo.
Walk, *v. i.* *To move forward on the feet,* Ku enda.
—— *To walk very slowly,* Ku enda pang'ono pang'ono.
—— *To walk as one in haste, with an erect and haughty gait,* Ku enda kolimba.

Walk, *v. i.* *To walk with a rapid, quick step,* Ku enda nsanga.
—— *To walk with a lame gait,* Ku tshikama.
—— *To walk on tip-toe, so as not to be heard,* Ku nyangama.
—— *To walk in a line one after another,* Ku tsatana.
—— *To walk with a supercilious air, as on tip-toe,* Ku enda kodzitama.
—— *To walk with a swinging motion of the body,* Ku enda kogwedezeka.
Walker, *n.* *Rapid and quick,* Woenda, oenda; woenda nsanga.
Walking-stick, *n.* Ndodo, zindodo.
Wall, *n.* Koma.
Wallet, *n.* Tumba, (la) matumba.
Wallow, *v. i.* Ku kung'khunika.
Wand, *n.* Nzengo, zinzengo.
Wander, *v. i.* Ku sotshera.
—— *To wander about in search of a lost thing,* Ku saka; ku funa.
Wanderer, *n.* Wosotshera, osotshera.
Wane, *v. i.* *To diminish, as applied to the moon after the full,* Ku dzitshepetsa.
Want, *v. t.* *To lack,* Ku soa *and* ku sowa; ku panda; ku funa.
—— *To want or seek for a thing,* Kufuna. *I am in need of money,* Difuna ndrama. *I want my younger brother,* Difuna mpwanga.
—— *To be in want,* Ku funira.
—— *n.* *Need, poverty,* Kupanda; kusauka; kusoa.
—— *Wish,* Tshofuna, zofuna.
Wanting, *n.* Kusoa *and* kusowedwa; kupanda.
Wanton, *a.* *Frolicsome, sportive,* -*O*sewera.
—— *Insolent,* -*O*nyoza.
—— *Luxurious,* -*O*tshuruka.
—— *Licentious, dissolute,* -*A*dama.
—— *v.i.* *To be frolicsome, sportive,* Ku sewera.
Wanton eyes, *n.* Maso adama.
Wantonly, *adv.* Kotshuruka.
Wantonness, *n.* *Luxury,* Kutshuruka.
Wants, *n.* *Necessary,* Tshofunidwa, zofunidwa.
War, *n.* Nkondo, zinkondo.
—— *v. t.* Ku panga nkondo.
Ward, *v. t.* *To fend off,* Ku lewa.
—— *n.* *A minor under the care of a guardian,* Sungo, (la) masungo.
—— Kudikira.
—— *Prison,* Tshipinda tsha nyumba ya ndima.
Warfare, *n.* Nkondo, zinkondo.
Wariness, *n.* Kutshenjera.
Warlike, *a.* -*A*nkali.
Warm, *a.* -*O*tenta.
—— *v. t.* Ku tentesa.
—— *To sit and warm the person in the sun, or by fire,* Ku ota.
Warn, *v. t.* *Of danger,* Ku tshenjeza.
—— *By speaking,* Ku taulira.
—— *By punishment,* Ku langiza; ku ambirira.
Warning, *n.* *A caution as to conduct,* Kuambirira.
—— *A warning of approaching danger,* Kutshenjera.
Warp, *v. t.* *As a bat handle with twine or wire,* Ku serenga.
Warrior, *n.* Nkari, akari.
War-shield, *n.* Tshikopa, dzikopa.
Wart, *n.* Njerewere, zinjerewere.
Was. *The past tense of the substantive verb 'To be,'* -Nali. *I was,* Dinali.
Wash, *v. t.* *As clothes,* Ku tsuka.
—— *v. i.* *The person,* Ku samba.
Washing, *n.* Kutsuka; kusamba.
Wasp, *n.* *Hornet,* Dabvu, (la) mabvu.
—— *Builder wasp,* Bemberezi, abemberezi.
Waste, *v. i.* *To waste away, to diminish,* Ku tshepetsa.
—— *To destroy,* Ku ononga.

Waste, *v. i. To waste away by sickness,* Ku onda.
—— *v. t. To waste by extravagance or wanton expenditure,* Ku mwaza.
—— *To waste food,* Ku sakaza.
—— *n.* Kusakaza.
Watch, *v. i. To wait for,* Ku lindira.
—— *To watch for an event, to be on the alert for,* Ku ang'anira *and* ku yang'anira.
—— *To watch as a sentinel on duty, to guard,* Ku dikira.
—— *To watch bees in their flight, so as to follow and discover their nest or hive in the rock or tree,* Ku yang'anira; ku tsata.
—— *n. Time a watch is upon duty,* Kudikira.
—— *Guard,* wakudikira, akudikira.
—— *Timepiece,* Dzua.
Watcher, *n. Keeper,* Wakusungira, akusungira.
Water, *n.* Madzi.
—— *v. t.* Ku tsira madzi. *Water the trees,* Tsira madzi pa mitengo.
Watercourse, *n.* Ntshera, mitshera.
Waterfall, *n.* Matiti.
Waterless, *a.* -*O*panda madzi.
Waterplant, *n.* Nsidza, zinsidza.
Waterpot, *n.* Ntsuko, mitsuko.
Water-wagtail, *n. A bird,* Nanduindui, ananduindui.
Watery, *a. Abounding with water, as potatoes,* -*O*sawa; -*a*madzi.
Wattle, *v. t.* Ku luka mango.
Wattles, *n. For wattling with,* Bango, mango.
Wave, *v. i. To wave the hand so as to obtain silence from an excited assembly,* Ku kupiza dzanja.
—— *To beckon to approach,* Ku kodola.
—— *To shake,* Ku gwedera.
Waver, *v. To be shaken,* ku gwedezedwa; ku gwedera.
Waves, *n. Of the sea,* Fundi, (la) mafundi; funde, (la) mafunde; natshiri, anatshiri.
Wax, *v. t. To grow,* Ku kula.
—— *v. t. To seal with wax,* Ku sindikiza.
—— *n.* Njutshi (wofira, *red*); *or, better,* (Tshigunda,) sera; pula, (la) mapula.
—— *Wax of the ear,* Nkhonda, zinkhonda.
Way, *n. A path,* Njira, zinjira.
—— *Manner or mode of doing a thing,* Makalidwe. *It is his way or manner,* Ali makalidwe atshi.
Waylay, *v. t.* Ku dikira.
We, *pron.* Ife and ifi.
Weak, *v. i. To be weak,* Ku lefuka.
—— *a. In body,* -*O*panda mpamvu; -*o*foka.
—— *In intellect,* -*O*pulukira.
—— *A person of weakly constitution, or without energy of mind and body,* -*O*salimba.
Weakness, *n. Or Softness,* Kufoka; foko, (la) mafoko.
Wealth, *n. Possessions,* Kupotshera, mapotshero.
—— *Riches,* Kulemera, zolemera.
—— *Goods laid up,* Tshuma, dzuma.
Wealthy, *a.* -*O*lemera.
Wean, *v. t.* Ku letsa mwana ku amwa.
Weapon, *n. General term,* Uta, mauta.
Weaponed, *a. Armed for fight,* Ku li ndi mauta.
Wear, *v. t. To wear a garment,* Ku bvala.
—— *To wear away with use,* Ku ta.
—— *To wear away and become thin by gradual decay,* Ku pyapyaza.
—— *Of person,* Ku lemetsa.
Weariness, *n.* Kulema.
Wearily, *adv.* Kolema.
Weary, *a. From exertion, from weakness,* -*O*lema; -olemetsedwa.

Weary, *v. i.* Ku lema; ku lemetsedwa.
—— *v. t.* Ku lemetsa. *Disease wearies the man,* Ntenda ilemetsa muntu.
—— *To weary out,* Ku topa.
Weather, *n.* Makalidwe.
—— *Cold weather,* Makalidwe ozizira.
Weave, *v. t.* *As cloth,* Ku omba nsaru.
—— *As a net,* Ku luka.
Weaver, *n.* Woomba nsaru.
Weaving, *n.* Kuomba nsaru.
Wed, *v. t.* *To give in marriage,* Ku kwata.
—— *To perform the wedding ceremony by a clergyman,* Ku kwatitsa.
—— *v. i.* *Of the man,* Ku kwata.
—— *Of the woman,* Ku kwatibwa.
Wedding, *n.* Kukwatitsa.
Wedding-feast, *n.* Kudia kwa kukwatitsa.
Wedge, *n.* *Really a point,* Tshisonga, dzisonga.
Weed, *v. t.* Ku palira; ku zula.
—— *n.* Tshirombo, dzirombo.
Week, *n.* Wiki, (la) mawiki.
Weekly, *adv.* Kwawiki.
Weep, *v. i.* *Aloud,* Ku lira nsozi.
—— *Silent tears,* Ku ka misozi.
Weeping, *n,* Kulira.
Weevil, *n.* Nangkumbizi, ananngkumbizi.
Weigh, *v. t.* Ku esa.
Weigh anchor, *v.* Ku tukula nangula.
Weighed down, To be, *v. i.* Ku lemedwa.
Weight, *n.* Kulemera.
Weighty, *a.* *-O*lemera. *Sand is weighty,* Ntshenga uli wolemera. *Iron is a weighty thing,* Tshitsulo tshiri tshintu tsholemera.
Welcome, *v. t.* Ku sekera; ku loetsa.
Weld, *v. t.* Ku sula.
Well, *a.* *In health,* *-O*limba; ku li ndi moyo; ku li moyo. *I am well,* Diri moyo.
Well, *adv.* Bwino. *To do well,* Ku tshita bwino. *To know a matter well, to be well acquainted with,* Ku dziwa bwino.
—— *n.* *A place where water is obtained,* Tshitsime, dzitsime.
Well-beloved, *a.* *-O*kondedwa bwino.
Well-doing, *n.* Kutshita bwino.
West, *n.* Zambwe.
Wet, *v. t.* Ku katamiza.
—— *a.* *-O*katamiza.
Wetness, *n.* Tshime, dzime.
Wetting, *n.* Kukatamiza.
Whale, *n.* (*Popular*) Nangumi; hwele.
What? *pron.* *-A*nje; *-a*ni. *What did you say?* Unanena tshiani? *What are you doing?* Utshita tshiani?
Whatsoever, *n.* *-E*mwe.
Wheat, *n.* Trigu, atrigu.
Wheel, *n.* Hwile, (la) mahwile.
When, *inter.* -Ti, *as* kuti; uti; pati; ati; liti, *etc.*
—— *adv.* *Expressing indefinite time,* Ntawi = *the time.* *When he returns,* Ntawi abwera. *When they arrived,* Ntawi anafika.
Whenever, *adv.* Ntawi yomwe.
Where, *adv.* Pomwe; komwe. *Where I found them,* Pomwe dinapeza awo. *It is where you put it,* Tshiri pomwe unatshiika.
—— *Interrogatively,* Kuti. *Where have you put it?* Watshiika kuti?
Whereabouts? Kuti? pati?
Whereas, *adv.* Monga kuti.
Wherefore, *adv.* Ndimo; mwa kuti. *Wherefore I say unto you,* Ndimo dinena ndi inu.
Wherefore? *interj.* *Why?* Bwanje?
—— *For what reason?* Kwa tshifukwa tshiani?
Whereupon, *adv.* *Upon which,* Pomwe.
Whet, *v. t.* *To sharpen, as an axe,* Ku nola.
Whether. Uti, *etc.*
Whey, *n.* Madzi a nkaka.

Which, *pron.* *The forms vary with the prefixes of the nouns referred to. Inter.* -Ti? *Which house?* Nyumba iti? *Which, as a relative pronoun,* -Mwe. *See Concords.*
While, *adv.* Ntawi.
Whip, *n.* *Riding whip made from the hide of the hippopotamus,* Tshikoti, dzikoti.
—— *v. t.* Ku kwapula.
Whirl round, *v. i.* Ku zungulira.
—— *v. t.* Ku zunguza; ku zunguliza.
Whirlwind, *n.* Tshivumbulu, dzivumbulu.
Whisker, *n.* Ndebvu.
Whisper, *v. i.* Ku nong'ona.
—— *To whisper to each other,* Ku nong'onana.
Whisperer, *n.* Wonong'ona; wakunong'ona, akunong'ona.
Whispering, *n.* Kunong'ona, manong'ono.
Whistle, *n.* *Of bird,* Tshikweru, dzikweru.
—— *Reed,* Tshiteta, dziteta.
—— Mlumbwi, milumbwi.
—— *v. i.* *By mouth,* Ku omba muluzu.
Whit, *n.* Kakang'ono.
White, *a.* -*O*yera; -otua. *A white house,* Nyumba yoyera. *A white hat,* Tshisoti tshoyera.
Whited, *a.* -*O*yeretsedwa.
Whiten, *v. t.* Ku yeretsa.
Whiteness, *n.* Kuyera.
Whitewash, *v. t.* Ku yeretsa ndi nkono; ku paka -oyera.
Whither? *inter.* Kuti?
Whittle, *v. t.* Ku sema.
Who? *pron.* Ani? ndani? *Who is he?* Ie ali ndani? *Who are they?* Awo ali ani? *Who are you?* Muli ani?
—— *Rel. pron.,* -Mwe.
Whole, *a.* *As of a carcase,* -*A*tuntu; (*all*) onse. *The forms vary according to the prefix of the noun referred to. The whole of the cattle,* Ng'ombe zonse. *All the grain,* Dzintu dzonse. *The whole of the people,* Antu onse.
Whole, *a.* *Cured,* -*O*tshiritswa.
—— *In good health,* -*O*limba.
Wholly, *adv.* Kota.
Whore, *n.* Nkazi wa dama, akazi a dama.
Whosoever, *pron.* Emwe.
Why? *adv.* Bwanje? *Why have you done this thing?* Watshita tshimene bwanje?
Wicked, *a.* -*A*kwaipa; -oipa. *A wicked person,* Muntu woipa.
Wickedly, *adv.* Koipa.
Wickedness, *n.* Kuipa; mpulupulu.
Wicket, *n.* Komo laling'ono, makomo ang'ono.
Wide, *a.* -*A*bwambi.
—— *A wide path,* Njira yabwambi.
—— *A broad precipice,* Tshikwau tshabwambi.
—— *A wide river,* Ntsinje wabwambi.
Widen, *v. t.* Ku panga bwambi.
—— *Widen the path,* Panga njira bwambi.
Wideness, *n.* *Width,* Bwambi, (la) mabwambi.
Widow, *n.* Wamasie, amasie; mbeta = *unmarried, but may have been married.*
Widower, *n.* Mamuna wamasie.
Width, *n.* Bwambi, (la) mabwambi.
Wife, *n.* Nkazi, akazi. *This word properly means 'Woman.'*
—— *Head wife,* Akuka (*plural form*). Kuka kwa fumu *is the house of the chief.*
—— *Second wife, while other wives are alive, a concubine,* Ntsanu, atsanu.
Wild, *a.* *Rough, rude,* -*A*tshitsiru.
—— *As an untamed animal,* -*A*ntengo.
—— *A wild man,* -*A*ukali.
—— *As wild waves,* -*O*limba.

Wilderness, *n.* Tshipululu, dzipululu.
Wild-goose, *n.* Tsekwe, atsekwe.
Wildly, *adv.* Kwaukari; kwaukali.
Wildness, *n.* *Of untamed animals, or game in the field,* Ukari (watshi). *Of a violent person,* Ukari.
Wile, *n.* Kutshenjera, matshenjero.
Wilful, *a.* -*O*funa.
Wilfully, *adv.* Ndi kufuna kwa tshi; kofuna.
Will, *v. t.* Ku funa. *I will; be thou clean,* Difuna; sambitsidwa.
—— *n.* Kufuna. *Let it be done according to thy will,* Tshitshitidwe monga ndi kufuna kwako.
—— *Mind and purpose,* Kuyerekeza; muwongo; ntima. *To do a thing with a will,* Ku tshita ndi ntima.
Will *or* **Testament,** *n.* Kufuna.
—— *Self-will,* Kudzifuna.
Willing, *a.* -*O*funa; -*a*kufuna; -olola.
Willingly, *adv.* Ndi ntima.
Will-worship, *n.* Kufuna kupembedza.
Wily, *a.* *Crafty,* -*O*tshenjera. *A wily, crafty person,* Wotshenjera, otshenjera.
Win, *v. t.* *To obtain,* Ku peza.
—— *To gain by success in competition,* Ku pambana.
Wince, *v. i.* Ku kwinyata.
Wind, *n.* Mpepo, zimpepo.
—— *Wind bag, as a bladder full of wind,* Tumba la mpepo.
—— *v. t.* *To twist, as a string, or to make a string from fibre,* Ku pota.
—— *Wind round hard to form a ball,* Ku kulunga.
—— *To wind or twist round a thing,* Ku zenjeza; ku serenga; ku senenga. *The snake has wound round my leg,* Njoka yasenenga muendo wanga.
Wind, *v. t.* *To fold up,* Ku pinda; ku zenjeza.
Window, *n.* Zenera, (la) mazenera
Windpipe, *n.* Pakosi.
Wine, *n.* Vinyo, avinyo
Winepress, *n.* Tshiwira, dziwira (*vessel*).
Wing, *n.* Piko, (la) mapiko.
—— *of insect or small bird,* kupe, (la) makupe.
—— *Of an army,* Msongwe, misongwe.
Wing its way, *v. t.* Ku uluka.
Wink, *n.* Kutwanima.
—— *v. i.* Ku twanima.
—— *v. t.* Ku twanimitsa.
Winnow, *v. t.* Ku peta.
Winter, *n.* Malimwe.
—— *v. i.* Ku kala m' malimwe.
Wipe, *v. t.* *As dust off one's hands,* Ku sautsa.
—— *To wipe the nose,* Ku pukuta mpuno.
—— *To wipe with towel, as dishes,* Ku pukuta.
—— *To wipe off, as crumbs from a table,* Ku sansa.
Wire, *n.* *Brass wire, large size,* Sapuli, zisapuli. *Small size,* Nsambo, zinsambo.
Wiry, *a.* -*O*onda.
Wisdom, *n.* Nzeru, zinzeru.
Wise, *a.* *Properly crafty,* -*O*tshenjera.
—— *Properly far-seeing, not to be easily imposed upon,* -*A*nzeru.
Wish, *v. i.* *To wish for the possession of a thing,* Ku funa.
—— *n.* Kufuna, mafuno; tshofuna, zofuna.
Wit, *adv.* *To wit,* Inde; mongakuti.
Witch, *n.* Mfiti, zimfiti.
Witchcraft, *n.* Ufiti; kuombeza ula.
Witch-doctor, *n.* Mlaula, amlaula.
With, *prep.* Ni; ndi; na. *The man arrived with his child,* Muntu anafika ndi mwana watshi. *I will go with thee,* Didzapita nawe.

Withal, *adv.* Nditu ; ndi inso.
Withdraw, *v. i.* *From a company,* Ku pambuka.
—— *To go aside,* Ku langalala.
Wither, *v. t.* Ku nyalitsa.
—— *v. i.* Ku nyala. *The sun withers the grass,* Dzua linyalitsa maudzu. *The tree withered away,* Ntengo unanyala.
—— *As trees,* Ku pakatika.
Withered, *a.* *Of a tree, also of a limb,* -Ouma.
Within, *prep. and adv.* Pakati ; mbwalo ; m' ; mwa ; mo. *Within the house,* M' nyumba ; *less frequently,* Nyumbamo.
Without, *adv.* *Not within,* Panja ; kunja ; -opanda. *Without the house,* Kunja nyumba. *Without doubt,* Kopanda kuganizaganiza.
——*prep.* *The negative tense forms of the verb are used,* -Opanda. *They have been a long time without a teacher,* Anakala ntawi yambiri opanda mpunzitsi. *They are without food,* Ali opanda kudia. *They like to live without labour,* Afuna ku kala opanda ntshito.
Withstand, *v. t.* Ku tsutsa ; ku kana.
Witness, *v. t.* Ku mariza.
—— *n.* Womariza, omariza.
Wizard, *n.* Mfiti, zimfiti.
Woman, *n.* Nkazi, akazi.
—— *An old woman,* Nkazi wankalamba, akazi ankalamba.
Womb, *n.* Tshibaliro.
Women, *n.* Akazi.
Wonder, *n.* Kuzizwa ; tshozizwa, zozizwa.
—— *v. i.* Ku zizwa.
Wonderful, *a.* -Ozizwa.
Wonderfully, / **Wondrously,** } *adv.* Kozizwa.
Wont, *v. i.* *To be accustomed,* Ku kala ; ku zolowera.
Woo, *v. t.* *To court,* Ku pala ubwenzi ; ku pala bwenzi.
Wood, *n.* Ntengo. *A forest,* Nkalango, zinkalango.
Wood, *n.* *Firewood,* Kuni.
—— *Block of wood,* Nkunku, mikunku.
—— *A tree,* Ntengo, mitengo.
—— *Sawn timber for building purposes,* Mtengo wotshekedwa ; mitengo yotshekedwa.
Woodpecker, *n.* Gongkompanda agongkompanda.
Wood-worm, *n.* Tshipuko, dzipuko.
Wool, *n.* Wulu ; ubwea wa nkosa.
Woolly, *a.* -Awulu. *A woolly sheep,* Nkosa yawulu.
Word, *n.* Mau.
Work, *v. t.* Ku tshita ; ku gwira ntshito.
—— *n.* Ntshito, zintshito ; murimo, mirimo.
Worker, *n.* Wotshita, otshita.
Working's, *n.* Kutshita, makutshito (?)
Workmanship, *n.* Utshito.
World, *n.* *Mankind,* Antu. *The material world,* Dziko (lino).
Worm, *n.* *Earthworm,* Nyongolotsi, zinyongolotsi.
—— *Maggot,* Mbozi, zimbozi.
—— *Tapeworm,* Nyole, zinyole.
Wormwood, *n.* Ntengo woawa.
Worse, *a.* *In sickness,* -Odwala -opambana. *The man is worse,* Muntu ali wodwala wopambana.
—— *In the quality of the thing done,* -Oipa ; -opambana.
Worship, *v. t.* *To offer prayer and praise,* Ku pembedza.
—— *To bow the person reverently in worship,* Ku gwada.
—— *n.* Kupembedza ; pembedzo, (la) mapembedzo.
Worshipper, *n.* Wopembedza, opembedza.
Worsted, *n.* Wosteda.
Worth, *n.* *Value,* Ntengo.
Worthily, *adv.* Koenera.
Worthless, *a.* -Atshabe ; ntengo watshabe. *A worthless thing,* Tshintu tshatshabe.
Worthlessness, *n.* Utshabe.

Worthy, *a.* -*O*enera. *He is worthy of receiving honour,* Ali woenera ku landira ulemu.
—— *To be worthy,* Ku enera.
—— *To be thought worthy,* Ku ganizidwa bwino.
Wound, *n.* Bala, (la) mabala.
—— *v. t. Ku lasa.*
Wrangling, *n.* Kulongolola, malongololo.
Wrap, *v. t. To cover, as a blanket,* Ku pfunda.
—— *To swaddle, as a child in calico,* Ku kuta nsaru.
—— *To roll up,* Ku kuta.
Wrath, *n.* Kukwiira ; kukwia.
—— *A little wrath,* Kukwia.
Wreck, *v. i. Of a ship,* Ku banduka.
—— *n.* Tshibandwa, dzibandwa.
Wrest, *v. t.* Ku potola.
—— *To wrest from the grasp of another,* Ku pokonyola.
Wrestle, *v. t.* Ku limbana.
Wrestler, *n.* Wolimbana, olimbana.
Wrestling, *n.* Kulimbana.
Wretched, *a.* -*O*sauka ; -*a*tshabe.
Wretchedly, *adv.* Kosauka.
Wretchedness, *n.* Kusauka.
Wriggle, *v. i.* Ku pikinya ; ku piripita.
—— *Crawl as a snail,* Ku tinula.
Wring, *v. t. As wet clothes,* Ku pikinyula.
—— *To twist,* Ku potola.
—— *To squeeze,* Ku finya *and* psinya.
Wrinkle, *v. t. To contract the brows,* Ku tunda; kwinya, tsinya=*frown.*
Wrinkled, *a.* -*A*kwinya.
Wrinkles, *n. On the face of a person,* Kwinya, (la) makwinya.
Wrist, *n.* Fundo ya nkono ; fundo ya dzanja.
Write, *v. t.* Ku lemba.
Writer, *n.* Wolemba, olemba.
Writings, *n.* Kulemba *and* lemba, malembo *and* makulemba (?)
Wrong, *v. t. To wrong one,* Ku tshimwitsa.
Wrong, *a.* -*O*ipa.
—— *adv. Badly,* Koipa.
Wrong-doer, *n.* Wotshita zoipa.
Wrongfully, *adv.* Kosadeka.
Wroth, *a.* -*A*kwiira. *He is very wroth,* Akwiira kwambiri.
Wrought, *p.p.* -*O*tshitidwa.

Y

Y has in Chinyanja the sound of *y* in young.
Yam, *n.* Mpama, mipama ; tshirazi, dzirazi.
Yard, *n.* Lupandi, (la) malupandi.
—— *Court,* Mbwalo.
Yawn, *v. i.* Ku asamula.
—— *n.* Kuasamula.
Ye, *pron.* Inu ; mu *with verb. Ye are running,* Mulikutamanga.
Yea, *adv.* Inde ; e ; ea !
Year, *n.* Tshaka, dzaka.
—— *The past year,* Tshaka tshapita.
Yearly, *adv.* Dzaka dzonse. *It is done yearly,* Tshitshitidwa dzaka dzonse.
Yell, *v. i.* Ku pfula.
—— *n.* Kupfula.
Yes, *adv.* Inde ; e.
Yesterday, *n.* Dzulo.
—— *The day before yesterday,* Dzana.
—— *Yesterday evening, yestreen,* Madzulo, adzulo.
Yet, *conj. and adv.* Koma ; kosuntira.
—— *Remaining to be done,* Ku siiza.
Yield, *v. i. To give way to,* Ku denguma.
—— *To deliver up,* Ku pereka.
—— *To allow,* Ku lola.
—— *To yield, as crops,* Ku bala.
Yoke, *v. t. To yoke together,* Ku komera.
—— *n.* Tshigologolo, zigologolo.
Yon, *a.* -Udya.
Yonder, *adv.* Uko ; kutali.
You, *pron. sing.* U *before a verb,* iwe (*pron.*) ; mu *before a verb,* inu (*pron.*).

Young, *a.* -Ng'ono. *A young child,* Mwana wang'ono. *A young tree,* Ntengo waung'ono.
—— *The younger, as of two brothers,* -Pwa ; mpwatshi ; ng'ono.
—— *n. Offspring,* Mwana, ana.
Your, *pron.* -Anu. *See Concords.*
—— *Your house,* Nyumba yanu.
Yourself, *pron.* Iwe weka ; *plu.* inu noka.
Youth, *n. A young person,* Nyamata, anyamata.
—— *A young woman,* Namwali, anamwali.
Youth, *n. In youth, season of youth,* Unyamata.

Z

Z has in Chinyanja the sound of *z* in freeze.
Zeal, *n.* Utshitsanzo ; kulimbika.
Zealous, *a.* -*A*utshitsanzo.
—— *Earnest,* -*O*limba ; -olimbitsa.
Zealously, *adv.* Kwautshitsanzo ; kolimba.
Zebra, *n.* Mbidzi, ambidzi.
Zigzag, *a.* -*O*kotakota.
Zinc, *n.* Zinki, zizinki.

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